

VANDUSER PEOPLE HURT IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. H. Warnier, 75, was probably seriously injured, her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Warnier, received several severe bruises and Miss Nan Warnier, a granddaughter, and John Warnier, a grandson, all of Vanduser, were slightly bruised when a Ford automobile in which they were riding was knocked in a ditch near the bridge over the diversion channel on Kings-highway, late Sunday afternoon, by a Ford automobile driven by a man who gave his name as Finley.

The automobile occupied by the Warniers turned turtle into the ditch when struck by the other car from the rear. The occupants were thrown out of the car onto the opposite bank.

After knocking the automobile into the ditch, Finley, according to statements of Miss Nan Warnier, failed to stop, proceeding on the road to Illmo. A Mr. Shepherd from Illmo, who was near the scene of the accident, gave chase to the man in his automobile and stopped him after two miles and forced him to return to the scene. He then promised to pay for the damage caused to the car, and left them, saying he was going to Cape Girardeau to send an automobile after them. He failed to send the car and the Warniers came into the city after dark, they said.

No trace of Finley could be found at noon today. Police were notified of the accident and were searching for him.

According to Miss Warnier, Finley was behind them and attempted to pass, when he saw another car approaching from the opposite direction. He crashed into the Warnier car, they said, to avoid a collision with the car coming the other way.

If Finley fails to show up several charges will be made against him, it was indicated today. Wreckless driving and leaving a scene of an accident are the two charges that will be pressed, it is said.

Mrs. H. Warnier, the grandmother, is in a serious condition, it is said. She was taken to her home at Vanduser, Sunday night. Mrs. L. E. Warnier is the mother of Mrs. Lester McDonald, 432 North Pacific street. The party had been here spending Sunday with her.—Cape Missourian.

PLANS OF HIGHWAY BOARD ANNOUNCED

Jefferson City, Mo., May 13.—B. H. Piepmeier, a loyal Republican, who has just been elected Chief Engineer of the State Highway Commission to succeed A. W. Graham, resigned, announces that the Commission's interpretation of the new highway laws and the scope of the duties of the Commission under them are as follows:

"The Commission will first designate and locate the higher type roads of approximately 1500 miles, connecting the principal population centers, and one-third of the road funds will be apportioned for the construction of higher type roads. In addition \$6,000 per mile will be apportioned for higher type roads out of the remaining two-thirds of the fund.

"The Commission will then determine the mileage of the statewide road system in each county, and will apportion to each county, a sum ascertained by multiplying the sum of \$6,000 by the total mileage in a county, but will deduct from such mileage any portion which is included in the designated route of the higher type roads. After estimating the amount required to build the roads in each county the estimate may be increased later, if more than \$6,000 per mile is necessary."

Bertrand, Mo.,
May 12, 1922.

Notice of deferred Annual Meeting of Members of the Southeast Missouri Melon Growers' Association.

Meeting will be held in Morehouse, at 10:00 a. m., May 26, 1922.

Object of meeting:

1. To elect two directors for the ensuing year.
2. To vote on amending the Constitution and by-laws as follows:
 - (a) To have seven directors instead of five.
 - (b) To make any other changes necessary to the general good of the Association.
3. General discussion.

By order of Board.
S. A. PRESSON, Pres.
R. R. SULLIVAN
Dr. PAUL BALDWIN

METHODIST MEETINGS HELD AUGUST 8 TO 20

The 40 evangelists who will assist the different pastors in the evangelistic campaign to be carried on in 40 Methodist churches in the Charleston district from August 8 to 20, have been named by Rev. S. M. Robinson, presiding elder. They will be assigned to their respective charges within a short time. Those named follow:

W. Hardy Niel, general evangelist, Fayetteville, Ark., who will be accompanied by Charles H. McEwin, gospel singer.

Charles D. McGehee, pastor Haven Street Church, St. Louis.

L. G. Marlan, pastor West Plains.

Dr. Benj. A. Few, evangelist of Little Rock Conference, Little Rock, Ark.

W. C. Swope, general evangelist, T. P. McCall, general evangelist, Jasper, Florida.

John A. May, general evangelist, Montevallo, Alabama.

Harry S. Allen, general evangelist, Macon, Ga.

G. W. Davis, pastor Clinton, Kentucky, Memphis Conference.

S. M. Haynes, General Evangelist, Clarkston, Ga.

J. Wilson Reeves, Conference Evangelist, Union City, Ky.

Dr. John B. Andrews, General Evangelist, Salome Springs, Ark.

W. L. Shell, General Evangelist, Terre Haute, Ind.

Hemp Sewell, General Evangelist, Clarkton, Ga., Gospel Singer.

W. T. May, Missouri Conference Evangelist, Middleton.

T. M. Taylor, Pastor New Franklin.

Thomas Levi Bess, pastor Piedmont.

B. C. Few, pastor, Luxora, Arkansas.

J. T. Evitts, pastor Fredericktown.

C. L. Smith, pastor, Barlow, Kentucky.

F. W. Grant, pastor, Clayton.

James N. Broadhead, pastor St. Louis, Mo.

G. A. McFarlan, pastor Thayer.

H. L. Taylor, Pastor, Advance.

Dr. Alfred F. Smith, chaplain Barnes hospital, St. Louis.

Thomas E. Smith, pastor Kennett.

J. F. Glover, pastor Imboden, Ark., North Arkansas Conference.

W. L. Scarborough, pastor Fayette.

Marvin T. Haw, presiding elder, St. Louis District.

R. L. Russell, general secretary Home Department, Board of Missions.

Dr. C. W. Tadlock, pastor Centenary Church St. Louis.

T. A. Bowen, pastor Truman, Ark.

J. D. Randolph, pastor Columbia, accomplished by W. B. Carter, Gospel Singer, Salisbury.

W. H. Bansford, Pastor Campbell.

J. C. Richey, pastor Blytheville, Ark.

Wm. E. Brown, pastor Shaw Avenue Church, St. Louis.

J. P. McDonald, pastor, Marble Hill.

J. L. Nickerson, pastor New Florence.

Wm. Stewart, pastor Flat River.

Linus Eaker, pastor Bonne Terre.

The places to which these acting evangelists will be assigned will be announced in about a week.

666 quickly relieves a cold.

Lee J. Welman, who has ably conducted the office of Recorder of Deeds of Scott County for the past eight years, is announced for re-nomination for another term. He has made a splendid officer, and if nominated and re-elected promises to give the same careful attention to the duties of the office as he has in the past.

H. F. Kirkpatrick has announced for Circuit Clerk of Scott County, to succeed himself. Mr. Kirkpatrick has made a most satisfactory official, so much so, that it is doubtful if he has any opposition in his own party. He is a Democrat and if honored with the nomination by his party will make an aggressive campaign and will do everything in his power for the success of the entire ticket.

Emil Steck, cashier of the First State Bank of Farnfeld, is announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination as Collector of the Revenue of Scott County, subject to the will of the voters at the primary in August. Mr. Steck is a native of Scott County, has a host of relatives and friends in the upper half of the county, is well qualified for the position and if nominated will add strength the entire ticket. Mr. Steck will make a thorough canvass of the county and will be in Sikeston at an early date to meet the Democratic voters.

Announcement

I wish to announce to the people of Sikeston and surrounding country, that I have purchased the undertaking department of the Farmers Supply Co. I feel that I need no introduction, as I have tried to serve the people faithfully in their time of sorrow for the past fifteen years. I will still strive to render the same efficient service that I've given heretofore and you can rest assured that I am at your service at any hour of the day or night.

For the present I will be located in the furniture department of the Farmers Supply Co. and will continue to manage this department for them. When in need of my services, I will endeavor to render perfect satisfaction.

Phones: Day 150, Night 384

H. J. WELSH

Mandate Rights

Announcement that the Standard Oil Company has been granted exploration privileges in Palestine by Great Britain is generally accepted to mean that the long standing dispute concerning American rights in mandated territories has substantially ended in this country's favor. The assumption seems logical although no note has come from Great Britain or any spokesmen of the Allies conceding the justice of Washington's position in the matter. Great Britain apparently has acted on the theory that actions speak louder than words and it is only reasonable to presume that the same principles she recognizes relative to Palestine she will recognize with respect to her other mandates. America has contended all along that she is entitled to equal privileges with other co-victors in the war regardless of the fact that she is not a member of the League of Nations. Great Britain's concession to the Standard Oil Company has precedence in Japan's admission of the American contention in the Yap settlement, the points at issue being practically identical. It is believed Italy and France will take the same view of the problem and the controversy may be finally disposed of without any written understandings.—New Orleans Picayune.

Of the 26,000 girls and women brought into Canada from the British Isles by the Salvation Army, less than one-half of 1 per cent have failed.

Three hundred thousand francs was paid for a one-cent British Guiana stamp, issue of 1856, black on carmine, sold recently at an auction sale of the famous Baron Ferrari collection in Paris. The state tax of seventeen and one-half per cent added to the cost ured made it the highest price ever paid for a stamp in France.

Thos. B. Dudley, the present Probate Judge, is willing to serve the public for another term and has placed his announcement in The Standard. Few officers in any county are more accommodating, and none are more competent than Judge Dudley, and if honored with the Democratic nomination will lend his every effort to carry the entire ticket at the November election.

PROMINENT DEXTER BANKER IS DEAD

Dexter, May 15.—Asa Norman, 60, cashier of the Citizens Bank here, and one of the most prominent men in Stoddard county, died at his home here Saturday night after an illness of several months. He was brought here to his home after spending several weeks in a St. Louis hospital. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church here today. Interment was in the Dexter cemetery.

Mr. Norman was recorder of deeds of Stoddard county for eight years and very widely known. He had been connected with the Citizens Bank here for twenty years and was known for wisdom in business matters. He was a prominent member of the Masonic order here.

By defeating Wentworth the first of the week, the Chillicothe Business College took a big lead in the race for the Missouri State Conference basketball championship.

A canary bird wholesaler in Omaha has the trade-mark, "Living Music Box", stamped under the left wing of each bird with indelible ink. He places a high value on this trade-mark.

RECITAL

PUPILS OF
MRS. H. J. WELSH

AT
Sikeston M. E. Church

Tuesday Evening
May 23 at 8 o'clock

SILVER OFFERING

Auspices of the Co-Workers

How Reed Talked In 1910

How James A. Reed looked upon a Democrat who refused to support party nominees or abide by his party's platform which he first became a candidate for the United States Senate is recalled by the following quotation from a speech he delivered at Marshall which was reproduced in full in the Appeal in its August 5, 1910, issue:

"I am not an occasional Democrat. I have never attacked the Democracy from the front nor ambushed it from the rear.

"I have never given aid or comfort to the enemy. I have not claimed to be wiser than the combined wisdom of my party as expressed in its platforms regularly adopted.

"Perhaps no man of independent thought has ever found a political platform which exactly expressed all his personal ideas. But most men recognize the truth that individual preference must be subordinated to the common cause, and that if no man would support a platform unless it embraced his exact ideas there would be as many parties as there are men."

All this was in fine contrast to Senator Reed's course two years ago, when he refused to raise his voice in behalf of any Democratic nominee, whether for county, state or national office; when he set his own judgment up against that of his party; when he refused to agree to his party platform, and when he gave aid and comfort to the enemy by stamping the country in behalf of Republican policies.—Paris Appeal.

One of the largest electrical supply companies in the world has fifteen million dollars worth of unfilled wireless apparatus orders on its books and refuses to accept more business until it catches up.

The discovery of potash in notable amounts in a new area in Texas is announced by the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior. The new discovery is brought to light through the analysis by the Survey of drill cuttings collected in the southwest corner of Reagan County, Texas.

FARM CONDITIONS BRIGHT IN S. E. MISSOURI

Prospects for a great wheat and clover crop in Southeast Missouri were never better, according to farmers who know whereof they speak.

The present cool, sunny, windy weather is just what growing wheat needs, it is claimed. The sun is not hot enough to cook it in the bloom, the wind keeps the stalks moving and thus cultivates them and the occasional showers have kept the ground in fine condition.

A heavier stand of clover was never seen in Southeast Missouri, it is said, and fortunately the acreage is larger. It is now in full bloom and if the weather continues as it is at present for another week or two the crop will be made, and it will be a record-breaker.

The acreage of wheat was about an average until the floods came. Water ruined perhaps 10 per cent of the acreage, it is reported, but this slight damage will hardly be noticed if the present favorable conditions continue for 15 days.

"What can happen now to injure the wheat?" a prominent Sikeston farmer was asked.

"A heavy hail storm could do the most damage, or should the sun set in on an extra hot spell it would cook the grain. Too much rain would also be ruinous, but we are not expecting any of these things. If we can have two more weeks of average weather my opinion is that wheat will average around 30 bushels, and perhaps more. I never saw a finer stand in a life," he said.

A trip from Cape Girardeau to Sikeston Sunday was a revelation. The road passes through the finest agricultural section of Southeast Missouri.

Around Morley much of the corn is up and looking fine. It seems to be more advanced in the Morley neighborhood than around Sikeston or Benton. But the wheat on Sikeston ridge stands out above that in other sections.

Plowing for corn continues with greater activity. Thousands of acres will be planted this week, but the report is that due to the lateness the acreage will be below the average.

Usually most of the corn in Southeast Missouri is planted and up by the first of May, but the wet spring delayed the work. It will be perhaps the first of June before corn planting is finished, but that will not be too late for it to make a big crop.

Watermelons have been planted, and the acreage is reported about the same as last year.

Cowpeas are beginning to show up. The "Modern Promised Land" as the indomitable Clarence F. Bruton designates it, never gave greater promise than at present. Not only do farming prospects look bright in the Sikeston district, but equally as cheerful reports come from Mississippi, Stoddard, New Madrid, Dunklin and Pemiscot Counties.

"It will take only a good wheat crop and moderate corn and alfalfa crops to put us over the top and squarely on our feet again," a leading farmer told The Missourian. "We can 'come back' as quickly as we go down," he said, "and my prediction is that by this time next year we will have nearly forgotten the depression".—Cape Missourian.

Notice of Teachers' Examination

The regular teachers' examination will be held at Benton, Friday and Saturday, June 2nd and 3rd. Examination commences at 8:00 a. m.

M. E. MONTGOMERY,
County Supt. Schools.

An exchange from a nearby county, we believe it is the Caruthersville Democrat-Argus, has adopted the following schedule of prices to apply on all publicity that goes into its columns. Although a bit out of the ordinary, we believe every newspaper would be justified in following the same course. As revised the schedule is as follows:

"For telling the public a citizen is a successful man when everybody knows that he is lazy as a government mule, \$2.70; referring to a deceased citizen as one who is mourned by the entire community, when he is only missed by the poker circle, \$10.13; referring to same gallivanting female as whom it is a pleasure to meet, when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, \$8.10; calling an ordinary pulpit pounder an eminent divine, 60 cents; sending a doughty sinner to heaven, \$.50."—Piedmont Journal.

AGRICULTURAL BUREAU WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

The Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau has just held its second annual election of directors. Two directors are elected from each county. These compose the Board of Directors which manage the affairs of the Bureau. One of the directors in each county is elected by the executive committee of the county Farm Bureau. The other director is elected by the sustaining members of the Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau.

The secretary of the Bureau has just completed an election by mail ballot of the directors representing the sustaining members. In Scott and Mississippi Counties, there has been a tie in the vote. In Scott County W. H. Sikes and E. C. Matthews received the same number of votes and were tied for election. The same thing was true in Mississippi County where W. B. Ragsdale and Joseph H. Moore were tied for election. In these two counties, ballots are again being sent to all of the members with the names of the two men only. It will be another week or ten days before the election in these two counties is definitely settled.

In the other counties, the sustaining members have elected the following directors: Cape Girardeau, Geo. A. Bell; New Madrid, M. F. Ehlers; Stoddard, Norman D. Blue; Butler, Dwight H. Brown; Pemiscot, S. P. Reynolds; Dunklin, R. Irl Jones.

The county Farm Bureaus have elected the following directors: Cape Girardeau, C. A. Vandivort; Scott, W. H. Heisserer; Mississippi, Thad Snow; New Madrid, X. Caveno; Stoddard, John A. Montgomery; Butler, G. I. Reeder; Pemiscot, Truman Cole.

Dunklin County Farm Bureau has not yet elected its director. T. J. Douglass, who has served as director in that county during the past year, will continue as director until the Farm Bureau elects.

NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE SALES

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Walter P. Perninor: All that portion of the NW 1/4 sec. 27, twp. 21, range 11 laying north of the public road known as the "Plank Road" or Pole Road, being north of the base line and east of the 5th P., containing 14.85 acres. \$1262.25.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to W. E. Forsythe: All of lot 3 in block 7, in town of Hartzell. \$45.

Wm. R. Price and wife of Decatur, Ill., to J. E. Freeman: NW 1/4 and the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 sec. 2, twp. 23, range 13, containing 243 acres. \$100.

Henry Wagle and wife of Peoria, Ill., to Wilson E. Bush of Watseka, Ill.: The NE 1/4 of sec. 36, twp. 24, r. 14; the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec. 31, twp. 25, r. 15. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Estes and Bernadine Trammel: All of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 12 of H. H. Lbr. Co. 1st Add. to Tallapoosa. \$210.00.

E. C. Robinson Lbr. Co. to Julia A. Peck of Malden. All of lot 1 in range F of the City of Lilbourn. \$500.

W. R. Price and wife to Citizens National Bank of Decatur: NW 1/4 and the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 sec. 2, twp. 23, range 13. \$1.00.

Gottlieb P. Gerken and wife of Defiance, Ohio to W. A. Hull of Defiance, O.: 112.53 acres of land in sec. 35, and 36 twp. 22, range 11. \$1.00 and other property.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Jane A. Fisher of Case County, Ind.: Lots 5 and 6 in block 66 City of Morehouse. \$1233.44.

Marriage License
Jacob J. Otter to Lillian Neal of Canalon.

Ernest Little of Sikeston to Ada Malone of Lilbourn.

Edw. R. Johnson of Fairfax, Mo., to Kathryn Jewell, of Sikeston.

Lonnie Martin to Mary Neal of Canalon.

Vanau Lava, an island in the New Hebrides, is literally a mountain of sulphur 1,600 feet high and about a hundred miles square.

The Summer Term at the Chillicothe Business College begins June 5th. A special course for Commercial teachers is offered. Also short intensive courses in bookkeeping, banking, secretarial work and telegraphy. Many teachers and high school graduates will be among those entering.

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

RECORDER OF DEEDS

We are authorized to announce Axel Kjer, of Illinois, as candidate for Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary to be held Tuesday, August 1.

COLLECTOR OF REVENUE

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CIRCUIT CLERK

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Have you see the latest campaign button? It consists of a green leaf on which is printed "The G. O. P. Newberry". Attached to the leaf is a small, round berry, resembling ivory, with a dollar mark stamped thereon. It is to be used in the campaign against all Newberry Republicans.

The Pilgrimage To S Street

The delegation of 1000 women from many states and many countries who recently wended their way to the Washington home of Woodrow Wilson and roundly cheered the League of Nations represented more than a personal tribute to the Ex-President. Mr. Wilson needs no tributes. His place in the history of the world is secure and all the plaudits of the cheering multitudes cannot add to his fame. The purpose of the pilgrimage was far deeper than personal laudation of a leader, no matter how worthy that leader may be. The purpose was to show an observing world and a nation at "the turning point" that the ideals for international regeneration once enunciated by Woodrow Wilson still stand as beacons pointing to the right. America now accepts the guidance of those beacons though a wobbling national administration still steers a crooked course regardless of the signals. But this condition will not last for long. A new helmsman soon will control the ship and then right will prevail.—Missouri State Journal.

Miss Hyacinth Sheppard, who has been the linotype operator on The Standard for the past four years, severs her connection with the office this week and will resume a like position on the Poplar Bluff Daily American Monday morning. The Standard cheerfully recommends her as a very splendid young woman and a linotype operator of superior ability.

Tomorrow is Pig Club Day in Sikeston. Last summer the Chamber of Commerce placed 20 Duroc gilts and the same number of Poland Chinas with boys in the Sikeston District with the understanding that two gilts were to be returned to the Chamber of Commerce when called for. The time is here. These gilts that are to be brought in will be placed with other boys and in the course of time they will be called on to deliver two gilts. In this way it is hoped to get boys interested in live stock to such a degree that they will be better satisfied on the farm and will be in position to make a better living than digging in the ground. A number of male hogs will be auctioned off during the day, and a number of cash premiums will be paid to the Pig Club members by the Chamber of Commerce. Parents or guardians of these boys should see that pigs are brought to town in the best possible condition.

Mrs. Welsh's Musicales

The following program will be rendered by the piano pupils of Mrs. H. J. Welsh at the Methodist church auditorium next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken at the door, the Co-Workers receiving all above expenses. The public is cordially invited to attend.

"Marching Children" Spaulding
Ruth Inez Felker, Burnice Farris, Marie Marshall
"Playing Tag" Margstein
Tylene Kendall, Tessie Dill
"The Happy Gondolier" Lange
Marie Marshall, Kendall Sikes, Conley Purcell
"Barcarolle" (from Tales of Hoffmann) Offenbach-Kern
Evelyn Smith
"Carillon" Ashford
Virginia Freeman, Fanny Becker
"Spanish Serenade" Jean Antiga
Nell Yanson, Mary Purcell
"Melody in F" Rubenstein-Schott
Vivian Jackson
"Polish Dance" Scharenka
Susie Spence, Frances Rauch
"Galop" Op. 71 Wallenhaupt
Grace Decker, Louise Shields, Burdeean Schroff
"In the Moonlight" Bendel
Lillian Shields
"Quartet" from Rigoletto Verdi
Frances Fisher, Martha Gould
Marche Militant Bryant
Mildred Kimes, Barbara Beck, Claribel Pilaut
"Lucia di Lammermoor (Fantaisie) Domzetti
Ruth, Mary, Frances Baker
"Mid-Summer's Night Dream" Op. 76 Mendelssohn-Smith
Helen Welsh
"Polonaise Militaire" Op. 40 No.1 Chopin
Bonnie Keith, Miriam Decker

A baby man-eating shark, hungry and vicious, was found as a stowaway in the bilge of a ship put in drydock in New York for repairs.

There is no reason for The Standard to tell where it stands politically, but there is a reason why it should say that we do not think the office has been properly treated by some of our Democratic office holders. During the past eight years not one penny of patronage has come to the office from the Recorder's office, the Collector's office, or the Probate Judge's office, all filled by Democrats. The Standard does not expect all of the work from any of the officials but do believe that some sort of division should be made among the Democratic papers.

Are You Man or Monkey?

Mr. Editor:
The article copied from The St. Louis Star, and which appeared in the issue of The Sikeston Herald of Thursday, May 4th, and originating from the pen of Rev. Mather of this city, has annoyed me considerable and I take exception, of course my exception with Mr. Mather places me in about the same position that I think Mr. Mather is when he takes exception with Mr. Bryan.

If any of my brethren prefer to think with Mr. Darwin that they are descendants of the ape, that is their privilege; or traveling through another branch of evolution, if they prefer to think that they evolved from the jelly-fish, that is their privilege also; but I cease brotherhood with them and glory in the idea that I spring from the family of man created by God "in his own image" Gen. 1-27 "of the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and man became a living soul", Gen. 11-7.

God thought so much of that kind of a body that He placed the Spirit of His son in one, that He being the God-man might be able to teach and to preach, the course the family of man was to pursue, during its transitory earthly existence, to gain just awards, according to God's law either, everlastingly worship, or everlastingly hell, as man may choose, and there is no use in mincing matters about it.

Further, did you ever stop to think that God thought so much of that particular body that He would suffer it to "see corruption" Acts 11-31. but "raised it up" Acts 11-32 to sit at His right hand. Acts 11-33, "until I make thy foes thy foot stool". Acts 11-35.

The jelly-fish still exists, so does the ape, separate and distinct species, but there is no record of either ever being raised up to Heaven; but evolution is His foe.

Mr. Mather says, referring to Mr. Bryan, "First he uses Darwinism and evolution as synonymous terms." "They cannot be used as such. I am sorry that my encyclopaedia is in error, for it classes Darwinism, development, evolution, transformation and transmutation, all as synonymous Darwinism being only an attempt to prove the process, and a sorry failure.

Mr. Bryan says that Mr. Darwin in his works uses over eight hundred times the phrase "We may well suppose", which is a sorry comparison to the Bible phrase "Thus saith the Lord."

To my knowledge Mr. Bryan has never attacked a worthy science. My reference book open before me says that "Science is knowledge regarding any one department of mind or matter, co-ordinated, arranged and systematized"; and when Bryan, as hundreds of others also finds, that that department of mind commonly called Darwinism evolution or whatever you wish, is arranged and systematized against Christianity by a flat denial of the Bible origin of man, then if he is a Christian he will fight it.

It must be remembered that there is all the difference in the world between Christianity and religion. We have many religious ideas: We have much Churchianity in this simple old world; but very little Christianity.

We know that the teaching of Evolution, New Thought, Higher Criticism, and Cult, was the basic cause of the downfall of Germany. We know statistically that that dope has been introduced into our colleges and universities through our employment of German professors until fifty per cent of these are near pagan institutions, we send children of Christian parentage away to these schools and eighty per cent of them return without any Christianity whatever and the result is the low moral standard and the crooked business condition of our country today.

Just one instance. If the coal operators and the coal miners were all Christians do you believe there would be any strike? No. It is because of the lack of Christianity, they are after others gold, being worshippers of the of Mammon and not followers of Jesus Christ. "Neither is there salvation in any other, for there is none other name under Heaven, given among men whereby we must be saved." Acts IV-12 read Ch. X-43 Mat. 1-21, Rom. III-24, 1st. Tim II-5.

Now we come to where Mr. Mather's article is paraphrased under the heading "Material Side of Problem". I would ask does evolution treat of anything else than Material properties? It is strictly of the Earth and I am sorry to quote it but I must for "His namesake". "He that is of the earth is earthly, and speaketh of the earth." John III-13; also III-36.

Mr. Mather immediately falls under Darwin's "Now let us suppose—for the sake of argument" and "supposes" again in the fourteenth line. Is it not awful that we must "suppose" in order to argue, and that we endeavor to refute the Word of God for the sake of argument? God forbid.

Here he openly disputes the Bible which he professes to teach when he says: "When we read that God created man in his own image, that fact does not refer to his body because we know that God has no material body, for He is a Spirit."

We know that the Bible says, that God said, at the Creation when addressing His son: "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness."—Gen. 1-26, and as he used the double comparison to make it plain, we must use the definition common to both image, and likeness, which is, form, appearance—and if the word image means spirit, then I have always misunderstood one of the commandments as covered by the fourth verse of the twentieth chapter of Exodus, "Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven images." (Spirits?) Here he reaches out to Eddyism in the creation of a second man; and a little later on he lauds man to high Heaven and like the Russellite pats himself on the expanded chest and exclaims behold the perfect man; but Russell had the mumps it developed at his divorce trial.

How ridiculous to attempt to prove that Jesus Christ taught evolution? Let us turn to Revelations if God has no form and read the beginning of the fourth chapter. There was a form sat upon that Throne and turning to the fifth chapter we find that that form had a right hand, and in the fifth verse of this chapter we find Jesus there in His form, for he had ascended into Heaven in that form and the only one permitted to take the book from out of God's right hand. Read Matt. V-18, and then read Rev. 1-3.

Evolution is strictly a man made earthly idea, or theory, which has never been proven, but which is made an idol of by some to their own condemnation.

The Missouri mule, poor mute witness, gives evolution one of the hardest kicks that it ever received. Man conceived the idea of interbreeding the horse species and the ass species and the hybrid called mule was produced outright here the laws of God and nature step in and say no further in this line of evolution. Man grafts the branches of different apple trees and produces a beautiful delicious apple in the form of a hybrid but if a seed is taken from one of these hybrids and planted the product diverts back to the natural and God says no evolution in mine.

Let every true minister of the Gos-

pel remember the words of Paul as recorded in 2nd Timothy 1-6, 13, 14. He being then a prisoner under the pagan emperor Nero at Rome, while Timothy was the first Bishop at Ephesus about the year 66.

I will now close by asking that all read 1st. Cor. III-19 and quote from Pope's Moral Essays IV-43 asking all my readers to use,

"Good sense which only is the gift of Heaven,
And though no science, fairly worth the seven."

—John A. O'Hara

Baptist Church

Sunday School each Sunday morning at 9:30.

There will be no preaching services Sunday morning as the Pastor preaches the Baccalaureate sermon at Bernie next Sunday morning at 11:00.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2 o'clock.

Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock.

Evening peaching service at 8:00 p. m. by Pastor. Subject: "Losing Life to Find It".

Prayer Meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30.

We welcome you.

The past ten days has been ideal wheat weather. Not too hot nor too cool, which gives the pole an opportunity to well set. Let's hope the good Lord will temper the winds, the sunshine and the rains in such a way that a large yield will bless all those who have wheat. Corn planting is progressing rapidly and ten days more will see the bulk of the acreage planted.

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A decree restricting emigration of Mexican laborers to the United States has been signed by President Obregon. A great number of Mexicans have been thrown out of employment in this country and have been repatriated at the Mexican government's expense.

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A letter discountenancing admittance of members of the Ku Klux Klan into the Masonic order was ordered sent to all members of the order in California and the Hawaiian Islands by Dr. Samuel E. Burke, master of the California grand lodge. The letter asserts that the klan tenets are inimical to the tenets of true Americanism and Masonry, and therefore have no place within the organization.

.....
They are going to have a little celebration down at Cape Girardeau August 1, when fitting ceremonies will prevail to commemorate that 10 years ago Missouri's first regular Farm Bureau with a "regulation" county agent "happened". Chester McWilliams, now an agent in Illinois, was the first man on the job. President Howard is booked for the occasion, and it appears that Cape county will do it up right.

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BOOTLEGGING SHORT-MEASURE GASOLINE

Editorial in Monday's Globe-Democrat.

New York has heretofore taken only the conventional precautions to prevent swindling by short measure in what has become one of the most important and widespread forms of merchandising in this country, the sale of gasoline at filling stations. That is to say, measurements were occasionally subjected to official inspection and sympathetic aid was given citizens who took the trouble to complain on the discovery of gallons too sparingly doled, but on the whole no effective precautions at all were taken. Even Mr. Rockefeller himself, after a stop at one of his own filling stations some months ago, gave to the press a statement about receiving from the attendant less gasoline by a gallon or two than he had paid for.

However, after a long inning for the gasoline sellers, New York proposes that the gasoline consumer shall have an inning. An automobile fleet having several novel features scattered from Albany the other day to make long-distance tours to every part of the state. Each carried several sets of automobile plates, so that a different license number might be shown in different parts of the tour, a device for baffling identification that would have been highly suspicious under any other auspices. The offices into which lubricant and gasoline are to be poured were seemingly no different from those of the average car and still they were somewhat different, as filling station men have already begun to discover, to their pain and irritation. The offices lead into dummy tanks or containers from which purchases can be readily poured out and accurately measured in a moment. The pumps that measure as well as the liquids measured will be subjected to rigid examination.

New York is far from being the only state in which swindling at the pump has been daily practice, with only perfunctory inspection. State-wide crusades with elaborate wheeled transport is expensive, unless, indeed, these deceptive arrangements of tanks might serve double purposes in combating double-crossing bootleggers of Volstead as well as petroleum distillates. It would seem, however, that within the compact, easily accessible areas of cities, the municipal authorities might do more to put down these larcenies through full-price payments for short-measure value received. The subject becomes more important with every boost in the filling station quotation on gasoline.

Louis C. Erdmann
100 N. Kingshighway
Sikeston, Mo.

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DEFEAT STUNS G. O. P. LEADERS

Philadelphia, Pa., May 17.—Gifford Pinchot, former State Forester, had increased his lead over Attorney General George E. Alter in the fight for the Republican nomination for Governor tonight to 4765 on unofficial returns. With only 619 districts out of a total of 7934 to be heard from, the vote was: Alter, 483,774; Pinchot, 488,539. Organization leaders who had backed Alter conceded Pinchot's nomination.

United States Senator Wharton Pepper, candidate for the unexpired term of the late Senator Penrose, was nominated over Congressman-at-large William J. Burke, unofficial returns from 6236 districts out of the 7934 giving him a majority of more than 211,000.

Washington, May 17.—The results of the Republican primary elections in Pennsylvania yesterday have made a profound impression in political Washington. No matter what the complete count may show the fact is foremost in the minds of politicians that the Republican organization in the Keystone State has had a decided setback which would still exist even if Alter, the organization candidate for the gubernatorial nomination, had defeated Pinchot, the candidate of the progressive, anti-machine contingent of the Republican party.

Standing alone, the Pinchot showing might not be markedly significant. But coming on top of the victory of Albert J. Beveridge over Senator Harry S. New, in the Indiana Republican senatorial primaries, it indicates a state of widespread dissatisfaction with the Old Guard element likely to have a material bearing upon Republican chances in the congressional elections this year when more than a third of the Senate and the entire membership of the House of Representatives will be elected.

Beveridge and Pinchot were firm friends and supporters of Theodore Roosevelt when he was President of the United States. They followed him into the Progressive party in 1912. They have been represented as embodying the Roosevelt ideas and ideals of Progressivism.

This, at least, is the reaction most observable in Washington political circles this evening. The Pinchot showing, however, is not as important in its direct national political bearing as the fact that five Republican members of the House of Representatives from Pennsylvania were defeated for renomination in yesterday's primaries. Their contests were complicated in most cases by local and personal issues, but in the opinion of unbiased observers here, there is no escaping the conviction that Pennsylvania appraisal of the conduct of the Republican Congress contributed in some measure to their defeat. If what Washington hears of political trend is to be believed, President

Harding is popular with the people, but there is great dissatisfaction with the Republican Congress, which is known in many sections as "the do-nothing Congress."

Republican Senators of so-called Progressive tendencies were willing to be quoted as saying they were elated over the Pinchot victory reported before the Senate adjourned this evening and accepted as correct. They construed the Pinchot showing as proof that progressive sentiment had been revived in the country and that the Republican party would have to reckon with it.

In other words, their view is that the Republicans of the country are dissatisfied with conditions, and particularly dissatisfied with "organization" or machine rule within the party. None of these Republican Senators classed as progressives, said there was any rebuke to the Harding administration in the great party vote which Pinchot polled.

Senator Lenroot, who expressed himself as delighted when he heard that the victory had been conceded to Pinchot said it was not an administration rebuke. Senator Borah went further than any of his Republican associates in the Senate in his comment. None of his Republican comment had any reference to the defeat of Republican members of the House who were candidates for renomination in yesterday's primaries.

"The results in Pennsylvania indicate a political revolution," said Senator Borah. "Pinchot's victory is the most remarkable political revolution of the decade. It brings the most encouraging outlook for the future. I sincerely congratulate the people of Pennsylvania."

As was to be expected, the Democrats took the view that the showing made by Pinchot was a rebuke to the Republican administration in Washington. Senator Harrison of Mississippi made a speech about it in the Senate. He contended that what happened in Pennsylvania yesterday together with results in the recent congressional by-election in New York and in Republican congressional primaries in Indiana and Illinois showed that the Harding administration was in bad graces of the American people.

Senator George Wharton Pepper, who was nominated for Senator in the Pennsylvania Republican primaries over Congressman William J. Burke of Pittsburgh, was cautious in his comment. He expressed gratification over his own victory, but reserved comment on the Alter-Pinchot contest until the outcome was positively known. Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois, chairman of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee, which will be in charge of the campaign for the election of a Republican Senate, was likewise reluctant to point to any lesson in the Pennsylvania results. McCormick, like Beveridge and Pinchot, followed Roosevelt into the Progressive party.

"The Senatorial Committee like the National Committee," said Senator McCormick, "will energetically co-operate with the party leaders in Pennsylvania to assure the triumphant election of Reed, Pepper and Pinchot. I know of Reed that he has a fine record as a soldier and a citizen. Pepper will be one of the few truly great senators, a worthy successor to Knox. I do not have to say that I am delighted by the news of the nomination of my old friend and comrade, Gifford Pinchot."

Dissatisfaction over legislation by the Republican Legislature of Pennsylvania is believed here by those who know Pennsylvania politics to have helped Pinchot. This dissatisfaction was very widespread in rural districts, where for one thing the voters were aroused over a new system of appointing school teachers, who had heretofore been chosen by the districts which they taught, and the additional taxation resulting from an increase in the pay of teachers and other increased taxes. Pinchot charged the Republican state administration and the Republican Legislature with extravagance. He was strongly supported by the organized women of the state.

Here are some expressions from Republican Senators classed as Progressive:

Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, Republican: "I am delighted with the victory of Pinchot. You ask if I regard it as a rebuke to the administration. I do not so consider it. The women had a great deal to do with the result. If the reactionaries think the country has gone reactionary, they are mistaken."

Senator Capper, Kansas: "It is very encouraging to see Pennsylvania break away from the control of the machine crowd. Pinchot will make a great Governor and it is the best thing for Pennsylvania's political future that could have happened. Pinchot's victory indicates the people of Pennsylvania have again endorsed Progressive policies which once swept the state for Roosevelt."

Senator Norris of Nebraska: "Pinchot's victory shows that there is an overwhelming sentiment among the

SIXTY-ONE EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES

While the High School has had the center of the stage during the week, the public must not overlook the fact that the Grammar School has been doing wonderful work with the eight hundred children in the grades. Miss McCord and her patient assistants deserve medals of commendation for their work with these children.

Just think of there being sixty-one eighth grade pupils eligible for High School next year, and The Standard hopes that it will be so all of them can finish the course at High School.

Following is a list of the eighth grade graduates:

Lucille Stubblefield
Louise Stubblefield
Burdeen Schreff
Mildred Cummings
Forrest Carter
Dorothy Green
Jessie Vaughn
Lucille Milem
Dorothy Jones
Thelma Lennox
Ruth Gilbert
Eva Lydy
Della Hunt
Beulah Swanner
Janice Bone
Edna Kirby
Genevieve Trousdale
Evelyn Smith
Geneva Cauthorn
Frances Tanner
Noma Wilkey
Justine Miller
Nelle Gilbert
Pansy Ables
Glenda Montgomery
Hazel Jennings
Letha Scott
Dorothy McCoy
Betty Gould
Kathryn Clark
Hazel Weekley
Hazel Purtle
Julia Carter
Pearl Hamby
Esther Oeslander
Jewell Mouser
Clara Randolph
Ruth Baker
Tyrene Kendall
Mary Allison Purcell
Wilma Lancaster
Rex Martin
Haskell Mouser
Hershel Tyre
Meredith Sellards
Ray Marshall
John Putnam
John O'Hara
Clarence Marshall
Vernon Skillman
Wayman Shankle
Roy Smith
Frank Cantrell
Jim Baker
Robert Hunter
Bill Smith
Clyde Bates
Linn Smith
David Blanton
Murray Quinn Tanner
Clinton Scott
Lyman Fox

people for Progressive ideals and Progressive policies."

Senator McNeary of Oregon, Republican: "Pinchot's victory indicates a stronger sentiment than ever prevailed in this country for Progressive policies."

Alaska's Resources.
A special report on Alaska issued by the Interdepartmental Alaska Board gives reason to believe that what will happen to this great territory is very much the same as what happened to California after the gold fever had subsided and men began to make California prosper in less spectacular ways than by digging for gold. Even the hard-headed and practical-minded citizen will gather from this report that here is a vast empire immensely fertile and stocked with resources beyond the dreams of old King Midas. What efforts have up to this time been put into development of this great wealth have been largely incidental to the digging for gold, and they have scarcely served to show us the extent of our Alaskan treasures. This latest survey puts Alaska on the map. We learn from it that in climate and in the characteristics of its soil this territory is much like Norway, Sweden and Southern Finland, where "agriculture is the chief industry and where there are more millionaire farmers than in any other country in the world." By nothing more than the application of ordinary methods of agriculture, it is estimated, "Alaska alone could produce food enough for one-fifth of all the population of the United States. Of natural resources Alaska has an abundance. The standing timber in the Tongass and Chugach forest reserves amount to 77,000,000 board feet, enough to produce annually and for all time 2,000,000 tons of wood pulp and great quantities of lumber. Coal and oil and iron and copper are to be found there, and, of course, gold is today the chief mining industry of Alaska.—Detroit News.

MRS. ANDERSON'S PUPILS IN RECITAL TUESDAY NIGHT

The piano pupils of Mrs. Ralph Anderson gave a recital at the home of Mrs. J. H. Keady on Tuesday evening. The program was well rendered and enjoyed by all present.

The following program was given: Dorothy (Old English Dance), by Smith, and In an Alabama Cabin, by Charles Wakefield Cadman—Dorothy Jones.

Primrose Polka and The Robin's Lullaby, both by Kroggmann—Billie Tanner.

Swinging and Singing, by Frances Terry, and Forest Brook, by Carl Ganschals—Virginia Hudson.

Song of the Plowman, by Bachmann, and Trot de Cavalerie, by Rubinstein—Elizabeth Stallcup.

Reading—Laura Joe Smith.

Shadow-Time Valse, by Richard Ferber; Humoreske, by Dvorak, and The Old Pioneer, by Archie Mumma—Vernon Skillman.

To Spring, by Grieg—Anita Winchester.

Songs with Accompaniment—Virginia Hudson.

To An Indian Village, by Thurlow Lawrence—Dorothy Lillard.

Walzer, by Nicolai V. Wilm, (two pianos)—Dorothy Lillard and Anita Winchester.

Ohio Hammock seat cultivators still going at \$42.50.—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

Shower For Miss Margaret Shanks

On Wednesday afternoon a miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Margaret Shanks, who will become the bride of Dr. W. A. Anthony in the near future. The shower was given at the home of Mrs. Loomis Mayfield on North Kingshighway. The home was beautifully decorated and many beautiful gifts were received by the charming bride-to-be. Following is a list of the gifts and their donors:

Embroidered scarf, Mrs. E. A. Matthews, fruit bowl and candle stick, Mrs. L. M. Stallcup; dinner bell, Mrs. Moore Greer; silver vase, Miss Margaret Harris, Miss Irma Wilson and Mrs. Girard Dover; compote, Miss Gretchen Dunaway; meat fork, Miss Vera Walpole; gravy ladle, Mrs. Barney Forrester; olive spoon, Miss Eva Carter; teaspoons, Mrs. Charles Lindley, Miss Leita Lindley, Mrs. Pauline Cook; boudoir lamp, Mrs. Paul Bowman; mustard jar Miss Isabel Hess; pan greaser, Mrs. Clay Stubbs; embroidered buffet set and embroidered bath towel, Mrs. C. A. Anthony; electric toaster, Mrs. H. E. Dudley, Miss Helen Thomas, Miss Vera Cunningham; crocheted pillow cases, Mrs. J. H. Johnson; cut glass nappie, Mrs. J. H. Yount; wall mop, Mrs. A. A. Mayfield and Mrs. Murray Klein; waste paper basket, Miss Camille Klein; cut glass dish, Miss Florence Baker, Mrs. Lacy Allard, Mrs. Si Harper; embroidered buffet set, Mrs. Otis Brown; embroidered scarf, Mrs. Earl Riga;

collar and cuff set, Mrs. W. H. Sikes; linen combination suit, Miss Allie Howard; silver casserole, Mrs. T. V. Miller, Misses Dorothy and Justine Miller; cut glass nappie, Mrs. J. H. Galeener; hand-painted water bottle, Mrs. Earl Pate; hand-painted dish, Mrs. Tom Roberts; bud vase, Miss Lucille Kendall; silver card receiver, Mrs. Wallace Applegate and Miss Gladys Kendall; chest of silver, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shanks; pyrex baking dish, Mrs. C. E. Felker and Mrs. J. M. Fisher; silk combination suit, Mrs. Joe Matthews; silk bloomers and satin handkerchief case, Misses Myra and Burnice Tanner and Mrs. Randolph Wilson; serving tray, Mrs. L. F. Mayfield; check, Mrs. Frank Shanks; cut glass vinegar cruet, Mrs. Jno. E. Marshall and Miss Mayme Marshall; silk handkerchief holder, Mrs. Paul Anderson; embroidered handkerchief, Mrs. Walter Hunter; cut glass goblets, Mrs. L. L. Hunter; cut glass tumblers, Mrs. Levi Cook; lace scarf, Mrs. D. J. Johnson, organdy cap, Mrs. Ralph Anderson; silk camisole, Mrs. Ruth Stubbs.

FOR SALE—Piano in good condition. Call at The Standard office, tf.

The following teachers have been elected to fill the vacancy in our schools for next year: Miss Emma Brushner, of Cape Girardeau, in the grade schools, Miss Violet Benson, of De Soto, music; Miss Margaret Harris, of Sikeston, history in the High School.

CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION MONDAY

The City Council was in session Monday night with Mayor Felker in the chair and all Board members present.

Charles Dover, of the Citizens Bank presented presented bond and it was accepted for the City Treasurer.

The Street Commissioner's bond was accepted.

The Water Works Committee were instructed to find the cost of laying water main on Kathleen Avenue and report to the Board.

Bill No. 934 known as Matthews second addition to Sikeston was accepted.

Chas. McMullin resigned as road commissioner in this district and his resignation was accepted.

I. R. Kelso, attorney for the Missouri Public Utilities Co., met with the Board and a Committee of two from the Board and one from the Chamber of Commerce were appointed to employ experts to advise on the franchise proposed by Mr. Kelso. Messrs. Black and Russell of the Council and J. W. Black, President of the Chamber of Commerce, will appoint a member to the Committee who will act.

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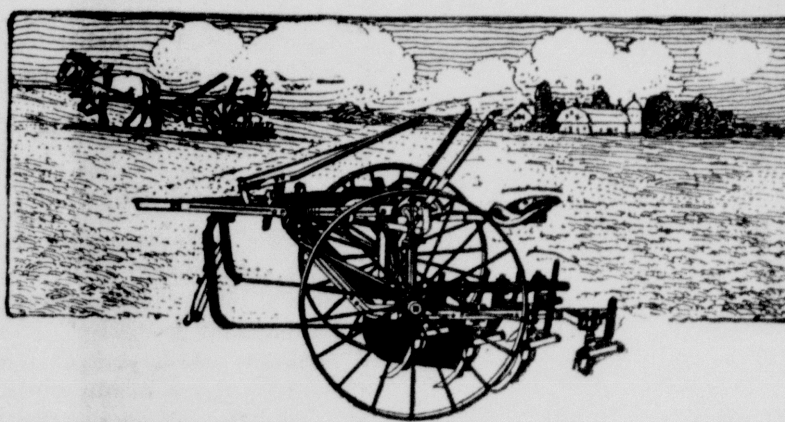
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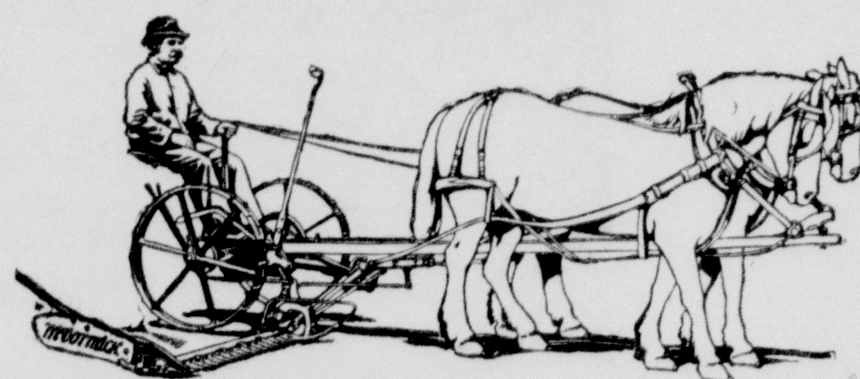
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Notice

I wish to announce to the public that John Albritton is not with me any more, and that my Undertaking Business will be looked after by myself as embalmer, and Harry Young as Funeral Director.

G. A. Dempster.

Rub-My-Tism for Rheumatism.

Car load of binder twine just arrived.—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

Soon be time to sow peas—do not forget the Farmers Favorite drill, specially designed for sowing peas.—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

Twenty French soldiers were killed and many wounded recently when, while searching for hidden areas, a spade struck the detonating mechanism of a hidden mine in Silesia.

COWS FOR SALE—Five fresh milk cows, with calves by side.—F. W. Van Horne, Sikeston, Mo.

FOR RENT—A modern home, five rooms and bath with hardwood floors and heat, on Lake St. Apply to M. C. Jennie Sells, 206 Shelby, tf.

For Sale—Registered Poland-China Boars. One yearling Liberator boar, one 2-year-old Col. Jack boar both sire good strong, litters, is promised and all members and 21 friends are urged to attend.

Truck patches are being worked by many of the 155,000 idle anthracite workers of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. Cabbages and potatoes are the favorite crops.

All boys who have made application for Poland China gilts are requested to be present Sunday afternoon, as the list to whom the pigs are to be given will not be completed until Friday evening.

Miss Sylvia Arbaugh was taken to Cairo the first of the week suffering from appendicitis. It was necessary to remove the appendix, which was successfully performed by surgeons at St. Mary's Hospital. She was reported to be doing nicely at last reports.

The Senior play at the Malone Theatre Wednesday night, was a success in every way. The young men and women did splendid work in their individual parts. The musical numbers between acts were very enjoyable and helped to pass the time. The house was filled to overflowing with friends and parents of those taking part and a nice sum was realized.

Supt. Ellise and family will remain in Sikeston during the vacation as will the following: Miss Irma Wilson, Miss Isabel Hess and Miss Margaret Harris. Leland Lingle will attend school at Carbondale, Ill., Mrs. J. Veith will remain at her home in Diehlstadt, Miss Herring will attend school at the Cape. In the grade schools, the teachers will go to their homes for the summer months.

On Monday evening the Historical Pageant put on by the pupils of the grade schools brought out a very large crowd to the park to enjoy it. There were a great many different scenes and the children were all dressed the part that they represented. Miss Allie Howard, with the assistance of the grade teachers trained the children and are to be highly commended for their excellent work.

The Woman's Club will hold an informal reception at the home of Mrs. Ned Matthews on Tuesday afternoon, May 23. The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Moore Greer and the following ladies will assist her: Mrs. I. H. Dunaway, Mrs. L. M. Stallcup, Mrs. R. E. Bailey, Mrs. M. M. Beck, Mrs. Emory Matthews, Mrs. Jane Mills, Mrs. Lyman Matthews, Mrs. J. L. Watkins, Mrs. Will Smith, Mrs. E. L. Cunningham, Mrs. Marjorie Smith and Miss Daisy Garden. Mrs. Allen Hinchey of Cape Girardeau will give an informal talk on American Citizenship. Several musical numbers will be given. A delightful afternoon is promised and all members and 21 friends are urged to attend.

The M. E. Church to night will be the scene of the most eventful time of the young boys and girls who have completed their High School studies, when they will receive their diplomas. State Superintendent of Schools Sam A. Baker, will make the address for the evening. The Glee Club will sing, Miss Lillian Shields will play a piano solo and Miss Honora Bailey will give a vocal solo. The numbers given are the ones that were the winners at the Cape Girardeau meeting. The program for the evening is as follows: Invocation.....Rev. Thos. B. Mather Piano Solo—"In the Moonlight", by Bendel.....Miss Lillian Shields "To a Wild Rose"—McDowell

.....Glee Club "A June Rhapsody"—DanielsGlee Club Address...State Supt. Sam A. Baker Vocal Solo.....Honora Bailey Presentation of diplomas.

The graduates and the High School faculty will have a banquet at the Hotel Marshall immediately after the Commencement exercises are over. Mr. Baker will be the guest of honor and Supt. Roy V. Ellise, toastmaster.

The World's latest and best Mower "The Wood".—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

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During the 25 years she has been a telephone operator in New York City, Miss Anna L. Curtis has never been late for duty.

"Stop all road work forever" resolved the Lyon County Taxpayers' League in the court house the other day. Sure, Mike. Only two kinds of people want good roads. Those who want to go somewhere and those who have something to sell and want to take it somewhere. But let the people who want to go somewhere stay at home and save their money. And for those who want to sell something, let them eat it or wear it or use it themselves. If it wasn't for the surplus there would be no roads. We are raising too much in this county as it is. Let's get back to the good old days when every farmer was his own butcher, baker, candlestick maker, and junk the whole miserable business of a complicated civilization. Let's buy shot-guns instead of paying taxes for courts. Let's eat sheep sorrel, drink creek water, pin on cottontails for clothes and save taxes. So let's stop all road work forever.—Topeka, Kas., Capital.

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Prohibition Enforcement.

The Methodist attitude toward newspaper utterances about prohibition and its enforcement, as defined by the New York Methodist preachers' meeting, is calculated to leave critics of that attitude of the same opinion still. The ministers in a public statement expressly disclaim any desire to "abridge the freedom of the press," and they "hold that it is legitimate for any person, newspaper or organization openly in a lawful manner to seek to bring about the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment". But the true inwardness of their position is disclosed in the further allegation that "no pretense of sophistry can hide the fact that any attempt to prevent the enforcement of that amendment, either by wiping out entirely the enforcement statute or the mutilation of such statute in such manner as to defeat the prohibition contained in the amendment against the sale of all liquor which is intoxicating, is an effort to nullify the Constitution". Does not this view amount to a confirmation of the charge that the Volstead act is held more sacred than the Eighteenth Amendment? It is not treason to oppose Prohibition but it is treason and "an assault on the orderly administration of law" to oppose the methods and arbitrary processes of enforcement. It is nullification to hold that more than 1/2 of 1 per cent of alcoholic content does not make a beverage intoxicating. The sophistry is not all on the side of the opponents of prohibition.—New York World.

666 cures Billious Fever.

Mrs. Walter Hunter and children of Jackson, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ross.

Miss Irene Hollister left for Chicago Saturday to visit her sister, Miss Eva Mae and Miss Cleo Young.

Mrs. G. A. Rumbaugh and Mrs. Roy Burch conduct a turkey ranch near Grand Island, Neb. It is run along the lines of a big cattle ranch.

New Model Separator, 24" cylinder, 44" separator with all the modern equipments good as new, priced at \$1000.00 to move quickly.—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

"The Affairs of Anatol" at the Malone Theater, Monday and Tuesday evenings, was a splendid show to our way of thinking. "The Queen of Sheba", Thursday and Friday evenings of this week, is one of the high class pictures that Manager Stehlin is giving.

Clinton Scott was awarded the prize of \$5.00 offered by the Kingshighway Chapter, Daughter of the American Revolution, for the best grade made by any member of the eighth grade in work in American History. This prize is offered every year by the local D. A. R.

The United States Supreme Court has put the blue back into blue Monday. On yesterday it repudiated most of our ideals which have taken the form of law, including the grain trading act, which lay about as close to the hearts of the people down on the farm as anything we have undertaken. Before we pass many more Mondays we shall probably learn that democracy itself is unconstitutional, whereas government of, by and for the people contravenes the very fundamentals of the republic.—Clark McAdams in Post-Dispatch.

The Co-Workers met for the last time this spring with Mrs. Handy L. Smith, with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Skillman as hostesses. The following members were present: Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. J. W. Black, Mrs. Norman Davis, Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Yount, Mrs. A. J. Moore, Mrs. J. H. Galeener, Mrs. H. J. Welsh, Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Mrs. A. C. Sikes, Mrs. Thos. B. Mather, Mrs. Charles Prow, Mrs. Jess Kimes, Mrs. Emma Kendall, Mrs. V. D. Hunter, Mrs. Vigil, Mrs. I. H. Dunaway, Mrs. O. E. Kendall, Mrs. John L. Tanner and Mrs. Ella Old were visitors.

Experienced breeders will agree that a sow should not be expected to raise a litter of more than eight pigs. This is the maximum number which nature seems to have provided for. Yet the survey of the pig crop made by The Journal annually for the past several years has established the fact that the number of pigs farrowed by both tried sows and gilts of the Poland China breed exceeds this number. These surveys have made it possible to contradict the old charge that the Poland China sow is not a prolific producer. The fact is that many breeders have found the Poland-China sow often is too prolific. Litters frequently are farrowed in which are so many pigs that they cannot be cared for. When this happens the breeder is forced to select the most promising members of the litter and either destroy or give away the others. Reports this spring from 9,775 Poland China sows and gilts show that they produced a total of 81,732 pigs, or an average of 8.43 in each litter.—Poland China Journal.

The New Ice Plant

As the warm weather approaches, the local ice plant is pushing ice making to the limit in order to fill the big storage vault recently built, and insure an ample supply of ice for Sikeston and the surrounding territory during the hot weather. The ice wagon drivers have for sale 100 lb. ice books containing 8 tickets, also 300 lb. books containing 24 tickets, also books of larger denominations for commercial consumers. The drivers are also instructed to furnish the customary daily supply of ice to any customer who is temporarily out of ice tickets in cases where there is sickness in the family and the ice tickets exhausted. This arrangement is designed in order to insure against any deprivation of ice in emergencies or for sick persons, and opportunity is thereby afforded a family in such cases to temporarily receive their regular supply of ice. The driver is not permitted to receive cash for ice sales. It is the intention of the Missouri Public Utilities Co. to use every means possible to meet all reasonable demands for ice and to adopt every measure consistent with ordinary sound business policy. The purchase of tickets saves money to the consumers and their use simplifies very greatly the operation of receiving ice and expedites deliveries of ice as there is no delay in "making change." This system is being used by nearly all of the ice companies and benefits both the Company and the public which quickly appreciates the convenience afforded in having the ice books at hand instead of keeping money for this purpose. Manager Beck has the storage vault nearly half full of ice at this time and invites the public to visit the new plant at any time during the day to see how ice is made, and to note the fine quality of ice he is now making. The Company welcomes suggestions from its patrons and will co-operate as far as lies its power to serve the public in a satisfactory manner in the mutual development of this section of Southeast Missouri.

Missouri Public Utilities Co.

Restoring the State Power

In holding the child labor law unconstitutional the Supreme Court upholds a good political principle at the temporary expense of a good social cause.

There is no question of the moral and social evil of exploiting children in industry. The question is: Shall such exploitation be stopped at the cost of sound government or shall it be stopped without such cost? The latter way is possible and lies open. Why not choose it?

It is wrong for South Carolina to allow child exploitation, just as it would be wrong for Missouri to allow it. But is it right for Missouri or any other state or states to undertake to force South Carolina to abolish it?

State governments are going to acquire a new virility when it is fully established that they are dependent upon themselves and not upon a Federal overlord for their social and political advancement. There are enough sympathetic people in any state to vote for the abolition of child labor and in many states they have so voted. The reason why some states have not abolished it is that they have not awakened to the responsibilities of citizenship. They never would have awakened had they remained dependent on dictation from Washington.

Citizens who shirk the responsibilities of citizenship soon find themselves without the powers of citizenship. That is exactly what has happened in the case of prohibition. The people did not use their power and now they have, temporarily at least, lost their liberties.

The Federal child labor law, which has received its quietus, may have advertised the cause so well that hitherto recalcitrant states will pass child labor laws of their own. But it is expensive advertising and advertising that could have been dispensed with if civic organizations in the various states had been functioning at any where near 100 per cent. Make the states responsible, chide them for their dereliction, and they will become responsible.—Post-Dispatch.

In the tennis tournament played in Sikeston last Friday, John Fox and Donald Davis of the local High School defeated the tennis team of Gideon, who were the champions of New Madrid County.

LEGS

Legs to the right of us,
Legs to the left of us,
Legs in front of us,
How they display them!
On they go trippingly,
Dainty and skippingly,
Frost that bites nippingly,
Does not dismay them,
Straight legs and bandy ones,
Bum legs and dandy ones,
Awkward and handy ones,
Flirt with the breeze;
Round legs and flatter ones
Thin legs and fatter ones,
Especially the latter ones,
Showing their knees.
Knocked-kneed and bony ones,
Real legs and phony ones,
Silk-covered tony ones,
Second to none.
Straight and distorted ones,
Mates and ill-sorted ones,
Home and imported ones,
Ain't we got fun?

"ENCHANTMENT"

A rhymed review by Rose Pelswick N. Y. Globe, Nov. 2, 1921.
Ethel was a flapper, and she winked a wicked lash,
She vamped like Cleopatra and she hit it high on dash;
She realized her power and it made her wondrous wise,
She lured the men to rapture with the way she rolled her eyes.
She shocked her patient mother; tho't her parents were passe,
But Dad got sore and sorer, for he couldn't see her way;
He planned that he would tame her for he thought her wild enough,
And asked a handsome actor, as a cure, to treat her rough.
To lead her on to love him, and then spurn with feelings terse;
The plan worked as per schedule, and she fell, but he fell worse.
They met at teas and dances and she flapped away his heart—
He fell for her enchantment, and he couldn't play the part.
They played the "Sleeping Beauty" and, he found he loved her true,
And when he had to wake her—well, what could the fellow do?
The picture's most enjoyable and of the clever stamp,
With MARION DAVIES leading as the pretty baby vamp.
Malone Theatre, Thursday, May 25.

Harding Requests 'Leviathan' Be Retained as Ship's Name

Washington, May 16.—President Harding has requested the Shipping Board to modify its decision and to retain the name of the Leviathan for the big liner taken over from Germany and used in transporting troops during the war, it was said today, in administration circles.

The board had contemplated renaming the vessel the President Harding.

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Two Persons \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00
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Sweet Corn	13c, 2 for 25c
Tall Chum Salmon	13c, 2 for 25c
Armour's Pork & Beans	13c, 2 for 25c
Armour's Large Oats	24c
Armour's Small Oats	11c
Armour's Corn Flakes	8c
American Beauty Macaroni	9c, 3 for 25c
American Beauty Spaghetti	9c, 3 for 25c
Star and Horseshoe Tobacco, per pound	70c
a cut	10c
All 10c packages Tobacco	9c, 3 for 25c
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Spur Cigarettes	13c, 2 for 25c
Nebo Cigarettes	13c, 2 for 25c
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Mrs. Clay Mitchell spent Sunday with her parents in Chaffee.

C. M. Smith, Sr., was a business visitor in New Madrid Monday.

J. F. Cox, of Sikeston, attended County Court at New Madrid Tuesday.

T. A. Slack of Sikeston was transacting business in New Madrid Wednesday.

Attorney W. L. Patterson of Sikeston was a business visitor in our city, Saturday.

Attorney H. C. Blanton of Sikeston attended Circuit Court in New Madrid Tuesday.

P. S. Meadors of Morehouse is in New Madrid this week assisting with Circuit Court.

Mrs. Lucy Pharris and daughter, Miss Coretta visited relatives in Lilbourn Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Neill of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ambrose Kerr and Miss Pearl White motored to Sikeston and spent several hours, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. June St. Mary and Mrs. J. W. Newsum spent Wednesday and Thursday in Cairo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Riley, Davis B. Riley and Mrs. Fannie Fine were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reeves of Memphis, Tenn., were week-end visitors at the E. E. Reeves home.

Rev. Foreman of St. Louis, a worker in the Anti-Saloon cause, preached at the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Stephen A. Douglas of Chester, Ill., was in New Madrid Thursday looking after interest in the monument business.

E. A. Wright, editor of the Southeast Missourian, Portageville, was in New Madrid Monday, looking after business.

Miss Hattie A. La Forge left Saturday for Cairo to reside, having rented her home on Scott Street to A. B. Hunter, Jr.

Mrs. Mitchell Meate, Mrs. S. L. LaFont and Mrs. Easterly of Portageville spent Monday in New Madrid with friends.

City Marshall, Chas. E. Bailey and M. V. Mumma of Gideon attended Circuit Court at New Madrid Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd DeLisle and little son of Portageville attended the May Fair given by the Catholic ladies Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stacy, Mrs. Ruskin Cook and Miss Vera Walpole of Sikeston visited friends in New Madrid several hours, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Peck and daughters, Misses Laura, Virginia and Nellie Peck motored to Cape Girardeau and spent several hours Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Hensley left Thursday for Columbia, where they will make their home. Mrs. Hensley's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mathewson, accompanied them as far as St. Louis.

The graduating exercise of the New Madrid High School will be held at the Methodist church Friday evening, May 19th. Hon. Robert L. Ward, of Caruthersville, will be present and address them.

The play, "Ruth in a Rush", given by the Senior Class of the High School at the Dixie Theatre Monday evening, was a decided success, after which the class enjoyed a "bunknig party" given in their honor by Miss Susie Shelby.

Miss Hilma Royer entertained the Seniors of the High School, Misses La Rue Townsend, Fannie Pharris, Frances Richards, Gladys Harris and Willa Richardson with a six o'clock dinner Tuesday and a line party at the Dixie Theatre.

Rev. M. L. Eaves stopped over in New Madrid for a few days returning from Eminence, Mo., where he preached the Baccalaureate sermon for the High School. Rev. Eaves is stationed at Ripley, Miss., and will move his family there June 1st.

Mrs. W. S. Korn and Miss Ada Latham returned Monday from a month's visit. Mrs. Korn visiting her husband W. S. Korn in Paragould Ark., and sister, Mrs. Alexander in Pine Bluff.

Miss Latham visiting friends in St. Louis and Belleville, Ill.

Attorneys R. E. Bailey and M. G. Gresham and Harry C. Blanton, all of Sikeston, Baker & Hale, of Morehouse; I. L. Parrett of Lilbourn; E. F. Sharp and R. L. Ward of Caruthersville and Hon. Geo. H. Moore of St. Louis, attended Circuit Court in New Madrid Monday.

The Catholic ladies held their annual May Fair at the Court House Wednesday and served an elaborate dinner to a large crowd, realizing about \$307. There were several out-of-town attendants, Mrs. Bettie Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Slack of Sikeston,

Mrs. Sara Wathen of Lilbourn, and Mrs. Jesse Broughton of Marston.

Drs. Jos. A. Serena, President of the Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau, delivered an eloquent sermon at the Commencement exercises of the New Madrid High School held at the M. E. Church Sunday morning. His talk was on the beauties of life and full of inspiration taking as his text the words of Jesus "I have come into the world to give you life, and to give it abundantly". A special musical program was rendered, which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the vast audience.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

State vs. Wm. Killian, murder, change of venue to Pemiscot County.

State vs. Louie Hacker, murder, continued to September term.

State vs. A. Haynes, Geo. Haynes & Tol Haynes, assault to kill, Ab Haynes \$35.00; Geo. Haynes, \$15.00, Tol Haynes, not guilty.

State vs. Louie Hacker, violating prohibition law, continued next term.

State vs. John Crabb, carrying concealed weapons, fined \$100 and costs. Stay of execution for 30 days.

State vs. Walter Wilfoughby, taking away female under age of 18 years, verdict guilty. 2 years in pen.

State vs. Joe Nelson, violating prohibition law, continued.

State vs. Daniel McClure, violating prohibition law, continued at cost of defendant.

State vs. Robert Ingram, John Bloodworth, Lemuel Ingram, Richard Shettler, violating prohibition law, Lemuel Ingram enter plea of guilty and filed \$100 and costs State dis. as to other defendants.

State vs. Louis McBride, violating prohibition law, fined \$100 and costs.

State vs. Porter French, violating prohibition law, fined \$100 and costs.

State vs. Harry Fleetwood, assault to kill, fined \$5.00 and costs.

State vs. Ollie Marr, arson, continued.

State vs. Guy Kinsey, grand larceny, two years in pen.

State vs. Harry Robinson, motion for judgment of forfeiture, cost ordered paid by deft., bond in sum of \$500 taken in open court and cause ordered certified by to Justice next Saturday for preliminary hearing.

State vs. Alvin Brown and William Brown, burglary and larceny, 2 years in Missouri Reformatory at Boonville.

Wet Weather Forecast?

The wets so far identified themselves with the candidacy of the Democratic candidate, Judge Irvine, in the congressional election in the Thirty-seventh (New York) district, Tuesday, that the big drop in the Republican plurality looks like a decided reaction against prohibition. It will inevitably encourage the wet propaganda for the modification of the Volstead act. By parity of reasoning, however, the election showed a drift of sentiment against the soldiers' bonus, for Judge Irvine was strongly against the adjusted compensation bill. As for other issues, not much was said about them on either side. It was a rainy day and the rural population stayed at home very largely, leaving the cities and towns to elect the new Congressman. With women voting, only about half the total vote of 1920 was cast. Whatever the primary cause of the Republican slump from pluralities ranging from 20,000 to 30,000 in the past four years down to 3000, the result is to hearten antiprohibitionists as well as Democrats and incidentally place Judge Irvine on the political map. Already he is considered available for the governorship as the cock-tail candidate. It would be folly for the supporters of prohibition to ignore the significance of this New York byelection. It means that the issue will assume importance in future elections. The wets will beat down the Volstead act and finally the Eighteenth Amendment if they can.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Fraternal beneficiary societies obtain more than 1,000,000 members annually, according to the secretary of the National Fraternal Congress of America, which has a membership of nearly 10,000,000 persons, and embraces 93 organizations.

Penrhyn Ceduraeth, Wales, pays no taxes. A movie promoter rents the town hall on shares and when the balance sheet was presented recently it was discovered that the municipal movie had done away with the necessity for levying any taxes for the coming year.

The people of the United States will present to Brazil a statue of liberty on the one hundredth anniversary of the Republic of Brazil. The statue is of bronze. Liberty, holding a branch of laurel in her right hand, with her left, supports the flags of the United States and Brazil intertwined with laurel and palm. At the base are figures of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, representing America, and Rio Branco and Jose Bonifacio, representing Brazil.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS FROM MATTHEWS

Mrs. Levi Prouty shopped in Sikeston Friday.

John Rauh went to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Royal Allsup went to Hough Saturday on business.

Leon Swartz has purchased a new Ford touring car.

G. F. Deane went to New Madrid Saturday on business.

Mrs. Cora Burch went to Catron Thursday to visit relatives.

M. A. Arterburn of Sikeston was in Matthews Friday, on business.

Mrs. C. B. Richards and son of New Madrid were Matthews visitors, Sunday.

George Hendershott of Big Opening visited relatives in Matthews Saturday.

Rev. S. S. Surface filled his regular appointment at Perkins, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Tate of Lilbourn visited friends in Matthews Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Emory and two children motored to East Prairie Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swartz motored to Sikeston, Sunday to attend the Baccalaureate sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Randolph and babe of Pharris Ridge were guests of Mrs. Nannie Lee Sunday.

Miss Vera Roberts of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. N. Roberts.

Mrs. Cordie McAdoo spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon in East Prairie, visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swartz and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carrol Sunday.

Mrs. Woodard of Hough spent the week-end with her father and brother, J. A. Allsup and Royal Allsup.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Steele and small daughter of New Madrid were guests of Mrs. Mary Steele, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norval and little grandson Johnnie, of Sikeston visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunott Saturday and Sunday.

The Matthews boys went to McMullin Sunday to play their first ball team. The score was 13-12 in favor of McMullin.

Miss Edith Pharris of New Madrid and Miss Flo King were the guests of Mrs. R. H. Weeks of Canalon from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Steele and two sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane, motored to McMullin to attend the ball game Sunday afternoon.

The people of this place certainly appreciate the services so courteously and kindly rendered towards them by the Deputy Health Commissioner, Dr. Wm. N. O'Bannon. During the smallpox epidemic, his efforts have been untiring since he was appraised of the disease being here while he wasn't compelled to do so by the position he holds. Dr. O'Bannon has made a visit every other day to the families having the smallpox. He has vaccinated between 50 and 75 people around here and we are glad to say due to his untiring efforts, this disease has about died out.

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GAVE COUNTY A NEW CORN

Story Rivaling That of the Famous Johnny Applesseed

A crop variety survey of Lawrence County recently completed by the class in vocational agriculture at the Mt. Vernon High School has brought to light a Missouri story rivaling that of the famous Johnny Applesseed whose vision gave apple trees to hundreds of pioneer families although he himself had no share in their fruits. The story is reported by C. H. Williams, teacher of the Mt. Vernon class in agriculture.

The survey revealed the fact that many farmers in all parts of Lawrence County are growing a variety of corn called St. Charles Yellow. True to type, especially adapted to the soil and climate of this section, and extremely satisfactory from the growers' standpoint, all these Lawrence County cribs of St. Charles Yellow gave evidence of having originated from the same parent stock or seed.

By careful inquiry the class learned that Floyd D. Bacon, a Lawrence County farmer now deceased, had brought 100 grains of St. Charles Yellow home with him from the Missouri College of Agriculture in 1914, where he had attended the two-year winter Short Course. Among the lessons learned at College none had impressed young Bacon more than the value of special adaption of field crop varieties to particular soils and climates. From his original 100 grains of corn Bacon grew seed for larger plantings on his own and neighboring farms—always urging the importance of keeping the seed pure and the selection true to type. Although Bacon died in 1917, the benefits of his special training have survived him

and have spread to all parts of his county.

PASSENGERS SEE BATTLE OF SHARKS AND PORPOISES

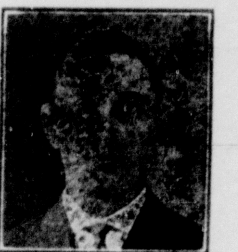
New York, May 17.—Thrilling stories of a deep sea battle between a school of nearly 100 porpoises and a half dozen sharks were brought in today by passengers on the Scandinavian-American liner Frederick VII.

Passengers who crowded the rail to witness the struggle said they saw at least forty of the porpoises slain before the steamer drew away from the brimy battle ground.

One woman, sympathizing with the porpoises, urged the captain to stop and send out a boatload of sailors to kill the horrid old sharks, but the captain insisted on maintaining strict neutrality.

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FARM BUREAU NEWS OF SCOTT COUNTY

Truck Gardening Man in the County.

E. M. Page of the College of Agriculture spent two days in the county last week looking particularly after the control of the melon beetle. He had with him one of the American Beauty dust sprayers which, with the use of nicotine dust is so effective in controlling the melon beetle and also a number of other injurious insects that bother various truckcrops.

Watch For the Melon Beetle

Watermelons are coming up and with them are coming the beetle, which probably do more damage to melon vines than any one thing. Several farmers have already reported the beetle to be busy in their melon patches.

A lot of farmers got good results last year in controlling the beetle by dusting on the plants the following mixture:

15 pounds lime
½ pound Paris Green
1 pound arsenate of lead powdered.
This amount of dust should be sufficient to cover seven or eight acres. This dust can be applied to the plants by perforating the bottom of a tin bucket with a small nail and using it for applying the dust or a cheese cloth may be used to tie the dust in and shake it over the hill. There is in the Farm Bureau office a specially prepared bucket for putting dust on plants of this nature which anybody may see by calling at the Farm Bureau office.

What is probably the best method of controlling the melon beetle is the use of the nicotine dust and applied with what is known as the American Beauty dusting machine. This machine costs laid down to Farm Bureau members about \$20.00 and the specially prepared dust about 30 cents a pound. The Farm Bureau of Mississippi County have already used one and one-half dozen of these machines for use in that county. This machine may also be used in applying the lime-lead dust described above or in applying any dust mixture.

Every melon grower should have a copy of circular 110 which describes methods of controlling melon pests in Southeast Missouri. You can get one of these bulletins at the Farm Bureau office in Benton.

Proposed Increased Freight Rates on Melons Held Up

It was learned sometime ago that there was a proposed increase in freight rates on melons particularly in case of diverted cars which would have meant that farmers would have paid considerable more freight on certain cars shipped. If not the farmers it would have been the buyer and of course he would pay the farmers less in such cases.

The Scott County Farm Bureau took this matter up at once with the State Federation and a letter just received from the Secretary of the State Farm Bureau Federation got busy on this and was successful in getting the proposed rates suspended.

Swat the Rooster

This is the time of the year to get rid of your roosters. Every farmer who is thru setting eggs should sell or otherwise dispose of his roosters or keep them away from his hens. Infertile eggs are the only kind to produce in hot weather as they will keep fresh for a long time while a fertile egg will begin to incubate in hot weather and will soon rot.

It is hoped that local buyers of eggs can be induced to pay premium for infertile eggs.

Have You Tried Soy Beans?

Soy beans is probably the best crop to plant with corn for hogging-down purposes, especially is this true on the heavier soils. On sand land you will probably get a better growth of cow peas than soy beans.

Some of the advantages of the soy bean is that the stalks grow upright and do not bother in cultivating the corn neither do they vine and twine around the stalk to break it down or to decrease the corn yield. The soy beans, even tho' they may shatter out on the ground will not decay for a long time so still remain good feed for the hogs. The soy beans and corn together make a well balanced feed. So far as possible farmers should plan to fatten their hogs in the fall by hogging down their corn with soy beans or cow peas. This system saves a lot of labor, spreads the manure and gives the hogs the needed exercise.

Several farmers have ordered soy bean seed thru the Farm Bureau office. Good seed can be laid down in the county for about \$2.50 a bushel.

Minutes of Minner Community Meeting May 5, 1922

Official Farm Bureau songs.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Report by Mr. Reiss of the County Executive meeting at Benton. Stated Mr. Foard had calls for watermelon meetings, but executive committee were inclined not to push the reorganizing of the Association. While some are for it, others were against it; however, he would assist where calls were made but would not get out and push as last year. As the new constitution for the State is being taken up, it was suggested that several of our laws should be changed and also some new ones made which would benefit the farmer. Our County Agent, Mr. Foard, time expires June 1st. A vote was taken, and unanimous to retain his services. The matter of freight rates was taken up, also reported that a reduction will go into effect the 11th of this month. A committee was appointed to go before the grain dealers and get an understanding why there is so much difference between the price they are paying for grain and the St. Louis market.

Live Stock—Arnold Roth. Relative to pig clubs, stated the Chamber of Commerce of Skeston puts out pure bred pigs for boys. A part of the litter is paid back which in turn will be put out to other boys. Those wanting a pig must put in their name at once. Age limit is 12 to 18 years. At our next regular meeting which will be June 9th, Mr. Rusk, of the College of Agriculture, will be here to talk along the line of hog feeding and raising.

Crops—George Porter, absent. Mr. Roth stated that it was a good time now to sow Sudan grass, about 25 lbs. per acre.

Dairying—Fred Paul. Stated that he had not received any reply from the Poplar Bluff creamery; that the test of cream made by Mr. Riga at Skeston was higher than that of the Blue Valley Company and showing that we should have a tester and know what our cream tests before shipping it. Suggested that if we could ship sweet cream, would perhaps have a better market at Cape Girardeau. It was shown that the Poplar Bluff station at Skeston was not paying up to the margin which they agreed to do. Mr. Roth made a motion for Mr. Paul to take this up with the Chamber of Commerce of Skeston who was instrumental in getting them. Mr. Reiss reported his efforts in trying to secure an ice cream factory.

Poultry—Mrs. Powell. Song by Poultry Club "Boosting Poultry". A review was given of the progress and work of the Club. First, choosing of the breed and hatching. Second, taking off the hatch and care of the baby chicks. Third: Feeding the growing chicks. Of the two cases of eggs shipped to New York City, one case netted a profit of 5c per dozen over the local price and the other case 7c per dozen more than was being paid here at the time they were shipped. The grade and color to secure the highest price was explained.

Bees—Mr. Warren. Reported transferring some bees for one of the members, also assisted another member who had some robbing going on among his bees. At this time, it is well to look through all hives for queens, that is to find out if they are alive. To do this, look for eggs and if no eggs, there is no queen and should be given a frame with some fresh eggs that the bees can raise them another.

Horticulture—Mr. Reiss. Reported another member to put out an orchard this fall, which makes four to do this. It is well to look for bores in the peach trees at this time as he had found in some trees as many as eight and ten while others none.

Home Economics. Mrs. Roth, Mrs. Keasler. It was decided to have the dress-form demonstration Wednesday, May 31, provided it did not interfere with other arrangements of the demonstrator, Miss Robinson. Secretary was authorized to notify County Agent Foard and find out if this date is satisfactory; also if any and what material would be needed for the meeting.

Community Welfare—Mr. Grigsby read the answer from the Railroad Co. in which they found the name of our switch to be spelled "Miner" and also "Minor", neither of which spelled "Minner". It was suggested for him to request them to correct their spelling of this name to "Minner". Our next meeting time was discussed and it was decided to have a social of some nature in two weeks; the details of which were to be decided upon by the Welfare Committee.

Mr. Roth gave a short sketch of the watermelon situation and suggested that all interested should attend the meeting to be held at Skeston May 10th. Also gave an outline of the Farm Bureau Marketing Service. In case a car load of coal was ordered, Mr. Bierschwall of New Madrid County would come up and attend to the weighing.

A short talk made by Mr. Buchanan, chairman of the Fairview Community. Motion made and carried to adjourn.

To prevent a cold take 666.

NEW MADRID COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

Farm Bureau Picnic Committee Meets

The Committee appointed to work out the plans for the Southeast Missouri Farm Bureau Picnic to be held at Judge Caveno's farm near Canolou on the 4th of July, met at the Judge's farm on Sunday, the 14th. The day being a beautiful one and the roads over the County being in reasonably good condition, almost every member of the Committee was present, and all agreed that the spot chosen for this picnic was an ideal one.

The picnic will be an invitation affair. Farm Bureau members and other farmers in Southeast Missouri, and members of the Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau and their families will receive invitations. In addition, all Farm Bureau members in the State of Missouri and the United States are invited to be present.

To make it easier for everyone to become acquainted at this picnic, it is planned to have the farmers of the different counties in Southeast Missouri wear different color cards with their names on the cards. Members of the Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau will also wear distinguishing cards.

At this time it is not planned to have any stands on the grounds where lunch will be served, and as the picnic will last throughout the entire day, and as the fresh air and sunshine will more than likely produce some healthy appetites, everyone is urged to bring well filled baskets. Facilities will be provided whereby these baskets can be checked at the grounds. Parking space and the orderly parking of cars will also be taken care of.

Those who cannot come in cars need not miss the picnic on that account as arrangements will be made to meet the trains at Morehouse and Matthews. Everything possible will be done to make the day an enjoyable one to all those attending.

Some of the features of the picnic will be athletic contests between boys and girls of Southeast Missouri schools, a barnyard golf tournament, a playground for the children with a supervisor in charge so that the women can enjoy themselves, a band, and singing conducted by a community singing leader. Committees have been appointed to work out the details of each of the above features.

One of the special features of the picnic will be the speaking. Judge X. Caveno will deliver the address of welcome to those attending, and will be followed by other good speakers. The Committee has invited Mrs. C. C. Schuttler and C. B. Denman of Farmington, Mo., to be present and each of these parties will be called upon for an address. They are both good speakers on subjects of interest to farmer minded people.

Fireworks and rifle crackers are barred by the Committee. The Committees appointed are as follows:

Band Committee—J. K. Robbins, C. M. Barnes.

General Sports—A. J. Renner, E. E. Caldwell.

Athletics—P. J. Stearns, L. B. Hoy, M. F. Ehlers.

Transportation Committee, Matthews—Earl Swartz, Leon Swartz, G. F. Deane.

Transportation Committee, Morehouse—Ed Griffin, F. B. Rauch, D. L. Fisher.

Children's Play—Mrs. Rud Lee, Mrs. Leon Swartz, Mrs. Chas. Biser.

Live Stock—Shipping Association Meetings

The Board of Directors of the Portageville and Parma Live Stock Shipping Associations met with John Sheay, Marketing Specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service, last week. The matter of keeping record of the shipments and special reports of the managers was considered. The managers of the Marston and Skeston Associations were also interviewed.

The Producers' Live Stock Commission Association, National Stock Yards, Illinois, sold 143 cars of live stock for the farmers last week. This Association prorates back to the farm-

ers the earnings at the end of the year.

Truck and Garden Specialist in County

E. M. Page, Truck and Garden Crop Specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service was in the County the past week working with some of the melon growers in controlling the melon insect pests. Neco dust or nicotine sulphate dust is used in controlling striped and spotted melon beetles as well as the aphid or plant lice. For beetles alone a mixture consisting of one pound powdered arsenate of lead, one-half pound Paris Green and 15 pounds of air slacked lime has been found effective.

NEWS LETTER FROM CHAFFEE

Charles Craig is engaged at present in teaming.

W. D. Jones was a visitor in Cape Girardeau Thursday.

Frank Morgan, Jr., was a visitor in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

The new bungalow on south main street is nearing completion.

Strawberries are still in season and the quality improves as the berries mature, more fully.

Dr. G. A. Sample is having the interior decorated of the new residence he purchased on south Third Street.

Dr. Walling has a nice paint job on the Essex Touring and has changed the color from the original stock color.

F. R. Ludwig spent the week-end with his family and returned Sunday afternoon to his place of employment.

Ed Monroe has purchased a new Studebaker Light Six, which is a classy car and gives unusually good performance.

Rev. Moore from Cape Girardeau officiated at the Sunday services at St. Ambrose's Church, during the absence of the regular pastor, who is spending a vacation in the east with his parents.

J. W. Gold is the local sub-agent for the Baby Overland cars and has some good claims to put forth in their behalf. They are getting more numerous just like one hen will steal chickens from the other.

Joe Enderle, who has been operating a butcher shop on south main street, has decided to discontinue his market. He gave satisfactory service and had a good patronage. It is thought he has something better in view.

Mothers' Day was suitably celebrated in the various churches with special programs for the occasion. Due credit was given mothers in addresses and generally, they were made to appreciate the occasion of Mother's Day.

The Chaffee Ice and Cold Storage Company are arranging to increase their output to take care of the increased demand for their products. This is a local enterprise and it behooves soft drink dealers to patronize one of the assets of the city.

The Tennis Club organized last season are recouping their forces for some battle royals this season on the same double court in the rear of the residence of Dr. H. L. Cordrey on South Main Street. No prizes are offered for individual honors, but strong opposing teams are expected to develop.

The baseball game Sunday between Chaffee and Lilbourn resulted in a shut out score of 7-0 in favor of Chaffee. The score last Sunday Chaffee vs. Skeston at the home diamond was 15 to 4 in favor of Chaffee, but Skeston had some substitutes on their regular line-up, which did not reveal the true playing form of the Skeston team.

Theodore Heisserer, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Heisserer residing on the Chaffee road two miles north of Oran, died at 12:15 a. m., May 11, of a long illness that offered stubborn resistance to medical treatment. Interment was held in the Guardian Angel Graveyard Friday and the funeral services in the Guardian Angel Church were largely attended.

The graduating exercises held Friday night at the new gymnasium were gripping. A large attendance gathered

ed outside the immediate relatives of the graduates numbering 61, 49 eighth grade and 12 high school. It is estimated there will be 1000 pupils the coming year in addition to the parochial school of about 300. Additional facilities will be provided by the opening of the school year out of the special bond vote in April, adding a structure of like material to the present high school building, for the 7th and 8th grades.

The Pullman Theatre filmed a feature play Friday and Saturday nights, entitled a "Child For Sale". It is said they sold the child too cheap Friday night and Saturday night, about the time the child was to be sold again, the lights began winking like a fire bug on a June night, and continued for a period of five minutes, then the devil-maker pulled the switch for keeps. It was a humorous co-incident and whether a mechanical failure of the current or local disturbance, the current was again connected before the end of the night.

Keep Young Pigs Growing.

Just as soon as the little pigs will eat they should be fed in addition to what they get from the sow.

The pigs should be given access to a small pen where the sow cannot go to receive their supplementary feed. Skimmed milk in a shallow pan is very good for them. The pigs may be taught to run into the creep for feed by allowing them some shelled or ear corn. As soon as they begin to eat well, a slop made of milk, some shorts, a little bran and some linseed oil meal or tankage will make a ration which with proper exercise should satisfactorily meet the requirements for rapid growth.

The ration for young pigs should include by weight: 4 parts shorts, 1 part bran and 1 part tankage. As the pigs become older the corn may be gradually increased until the amount has been doubled.

What is believed to be the oldest golf club in the world was founded in 1608 by James I of England and is still in use at Blackheath, Scotland, the home of the Royal Blackheath Club. Many historic treasures are to be found in the club house, among which are a set of club 200 years old.

To break a cold take 666.



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Effective May 8, 1922, the Excise Tax on United States Tires for passenger cars, both casings and tubes is absorbed by the makers and is not added to the selling price.—U. S. Rubber Co.

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VANDUSER PEOPLE HURT IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. H. Warnier, 75, was probably seriously injured, her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Warnier, received several severe bruises and Miss Nan Warnier, a granddaughter, and John Warnier, a grandson, all of Vanduser, were slightly bruised when a Ford automobile in which they were riding was knocked in a ditch near the bridge over the diversion channel on Kings-highway, late Sunday afternoon, by a Ford automobile driven by a man who gave his name as Finley.

The automobile occupied by the Warniers turned turtle into the ditch when struck by the other car from the rear. The occupants were thrown out of the car onto the opposite bank.

After knocking the automobile into the ditch, Finley, according to statements of Miss Nan Warnier, failed to stop, proceeding on the road to Illinois. A Mr. Shepherd from Illinois, who was near the scene of the accident, gave chase to the man in his automobile and stopped him after two miles and forced him to return to the scene. He then promised to pay for the damage caused to the car, and left them, saying he was going to Cape Girardeau to send an automobile after them. He failed to send the car and the Warniers came into the city after dark, they said.

No trace of Finley could be found at noon today. Police were notified of the accident and were searching for him.

According to Miss Warnier, Finley was behind them and attempted to pass, when he saw another car approaching from the opposite direction. He crashed into the Warnier car, they said, to avoid a collision with the car coming the other way.

If Finley fails to show up several charges will be made against him, it was indicated today. Wreckless driving and leaving a scene of an accident are the two charges that will be pressed, it is said.

Mrs. H. Warnier, the grandmother, is in a serious condition, it is said. She was taken to her home at Vanduser, Sunday night. Mrs. L. E. Warnier is the mother of Mrs. Lester McDonald, 432 North Pacific street. The party had been here spending Sunday with her—Cape Missourian.

METHODIST MEETINGS HELD AUGUST 8 TO 20

The 40 evangelists who will assist the different pastors in the evangelistic campaign to be carried on in 40 Methodist churches in the Charleston district from August 8 to 20, have been named by Rev. S. M. Robinson, presiding elder. They will be assigned to their respective charges within a short time. Those named follow:

We Hardy Niel, general evangelist, Fayetteville, Ark., who will be accompanied by Charles H. McEwin, gospel singer.

Charles D. McGehee, pastor Haven Street Church, St. Louis.

L. G. Marlan, pastor West Plains. Dr. Benj. A. Few, evangelist of Little Rock Conference, Little Rock, Ark.

W. C. Swope, general evangelist. T. P. McCall, general evangelist, Jasper, Florida.

John A. May, general evangelist, Montevallo, Alabama.

Harry S. Allen, general evangelist, Macon, Ga.

G. W. Davis, pastor Clinton, Kentucky, Memphis Conference.

S. M. Haynes, General Evangelist, Clarkston, Ga.

J. Wilson Reeves, Conference Evangelist, Union City, Ky.

Dr. John B. Andrews, General Evangelist, Salome Springs, Ark.

W. L. Shell, General Evangelist, Terre Haute, Ind.

Hemp Sewell, General Evangelist, Clarkton, Ga., Gospel Singer.

W. T. May, Missouri Conference Evangelist, Middleton.

T. M. Taylor, Pastor New Franklin.

Thomas Levi Bess, pastor Piedmont.

B. C. Few, pastor, Luxora, Arkansas.

J. T. Evitts, pastor Fredericktown.

C. L. Smith, pastor, Barlow, Kentucky.

F. W. Grant, pastor, Clayton.

James N. Broadhead, pastor St. Louis, Mo.

G. A. McFarlan, pastor Thayer.

H. L. Taylor, Pastor, Advance.

Dr. Alfred F. Smith, chaplain Barnes hospital, St. Louis.

Thomas E. Smith, pastor Kennett.

J. F. Glover, pastor Imboden, Ark., North Arkansas Conference.

W. L. Scarborough, pastor Fayette.

Marvin T. Haw, presiding elder, St. Louis District.

R. L. Russell, general secretary Home Department, Board of Missions.

Dr. C. W. Tadlock, pastor Centenary Church St. Louis.

T. A. Bowen, pastor Truman, Ark.

J. D. Randolph, pastor Columbia, accomplished by W. B. Carter, Gospel Singer, Salisbury.

W. H. Bansford, Pastor Campbell.

J. C. Richey, pastor Blytheville, Ark.

Wm. E. Brown, pastor Shaw Avenue Church, St. Louis.

J. P. McDonald, pastor, Marble Hill.

J. L. Nickerson, pastor New Florence.

Wm. Stewart, pastor Flat River.

Linus Eaker, pastor Bonne Terre.

The places to which these acting evangelists will be assigned will be announced in about a week.

666 quickly relieves a cold.

Lee J. Welman, who has ably conducted the office of Recorder of Deeds of Scott County for the past eight years, is announced for re-nomination for another term. He has made a splendid officer, and if nominated and re-elected promises to give the same careful attention to the duties of the office as he has in the past.

H. F. Kirkpatrick has announced for Circuit Clerk of Scott County, to succeed himself. Mr. Kirkpatrick has made a most satisfactory official, so much so, that it is doubtful if he has any opposition in his own party. He is a Democrat and if honored with the nomination by his party will make an aggressive campaign and will do everything in his power for the success of the entire ticket.

Emil Steck, cashier of the First State Bank of Farnett, is announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination as Collector of the Revenue of Scott County, subject to the will of the voters at the primary in August. Mr. Steck is a native of Scott County, has a host of relatives and friends in the upper half of the county, is well qualified for the position and if nominated will add strength to the entire ticket. Mr. Steck will make a thorough canvass of the county and will be in Sikeston at an early date to meet the Democratic voters.

Announcement

I wish to announce to the people of Sikeston and surrounding country, that I have purchased the undertaking department of the Farmers Supply Co. I feel that I need no introduction, as I have tried to serve the people faithfully in their time of sorrow for the past fifteen years. I will still strive to render the same efficient service that I've given heretofore and you can rest assured that I am at your service at any hour of the day or night. For the present I will be located in the furniture department of the Farmers Supply Co. and will continue to manage this department for them. When in need of my services, I will endeavor to render perfect satisfaction.

Phones: Day 150, Night 384

H. J. WELSH

Mandate Rights

Announcement that the Standard Oil Company has been granted exploration privileges in Palestine by Great Britain is generally accepted to mean that the long standing dispute concerning American rights in mandated territories has substantially ended in this country's favor. The assumption seems logical although no note has come from Great Britain or any spokesman of the Allies conceding the justice of Washington's position in the matter. Great Britain apparently has acted on the theory that actions speak louder than words and it is only reasonable to presume that the same principles she recognizes relative to Palestine she will recognize with respect to her other mandates. America has contended all along that she is entitled to equal privileges with other co-victors in the war regardless of the fact that she is not a member of the League of Nations. Great Britain's concession to the Standard Oil Company has precedence in Japan's admission of the American contention in the Yap settlement, the points at issue being practically identical. It is believed Italy and France will take the same view of the problem and the controversy may be finally disposed of without any written understandings.—New Orleans Picayune.

Of the 26,000 girls and women brought into Canada from the British Isles by the Salvation Army, less than one-half of 1 per cent have failed.

Three hundred thousand francs was paid for a one-cent British Guiana stamp, issue of 1856, black on carmine, sold recently at an auction sale of the famous Baron Ferrari collection in Paris. The state tax of seventeen and one-half per cent added to the cost price made it the highest price ever paid for a stamp in France.

Thos. B. Dudley, the present Probate Judge, is willing to serve the public for another term and has placed his announcement in The Standard. Few officers in any county are more accommodating, and none are more competent than Judge Dudley, and if honored with the Democratic nomination will lend his every effort to carry the entire ticket at the November election.

PROMINENT DEXTER BANKER IS DEAD

Dexter, May 15.—Asa Norman, 60, cashier of the Citizens Bank here, and one of the most prominent men in Stoddard county, died at his home here Saturday night after an illness of several months. He was brought here to his home after spending several weeks in a St. Louis hospital. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church here today. Interment was in the Dexter cemetery.

Mr. Norman was recorder of deeds of Stoddard county for eight years and very widely known. He had been connected with the Citizens Bank here for twenty years and was known for wisdom in business matters. He was a prominent member of the Masonic order here.

By defeating Wentworth the first of the week, the Chillicothe Business College took a big lead in the race for the Missouri State Conference baseball championship.

A canary bird wholesaler in Omaha has the trade-mark, "Living Music Box", stamped under the left wing of each bird with indelible ink. He places a high value on this trade-mark.

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How Reed Talked In 1910

How James A. Reed looked upon a Democrat who refused to support party nominees or abide by his party's platform which he first became a candidate for the United States Senate is recalled by the following quotation from a speech he delivered at Marshall which was reproduced in full in the Appeal in its August 5, 1910, issue:

"I am not an occasional Democrat. I have never attacked the Democracy from the front nor ambushed it from the rear.

"I have never given aid or comfort to the enemy. I have not claimed to be wiser than the combined wisdom of my party as expressed in its platforms regularly adopted.

"Perhaps no man of independent thought has ever found a political platform which exactly expressed all his personal ideas. But most men recognize the truth that individual preference must be subordinated to the common cause, and that if no man would support a platform unless it embraced his exact ideas there would be as many parties as there are men."

All this was in fine contrast to Senator Reed's course two years ago, when he refused to raise his voice in behalf of any Democratic nominee, whether for county, state or national office; when he set his own judgment up against that of his party; when he refused to agree to his party platform, and when he gave aid and comfort to the enemy by stamping the country in behalf of Republican policies.—Paris Appeal.

One of the largest electrical supply companies in the world has fifteen million dollars worth of unfilled wireless apparatus orders on its books and refuses to accept more business until it catches up.

The discovery of potash in notable amounts in a new area in Texas is announced by the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior. The new discovery is brought to light through the analysis by the Survey of drill cuttings collected in the southwest corner of Reagan County, Texas.

FARM CONDITIONS BRIGHT IN S. E. MISSOURI

Prospects for a great wheat and clover crop in Southeast Missouri were never better, according to farmers who know whereof they speak.

The present cool, sunny, windy weather is just what growing wheat needs, it is claimed. The sun is not hot enough to cook it in the bloom, the wind keeps the stalks moving and thus cultivates them and the occasional showers have kept the ground in fine condition.

A heavier stand of clover was never seen in Southeast Missouri, it is said, and fortunately the acreage is larger. It is now in full bloom and if the weather continues as it is at present for another week or two the crop will be made, and it will be a record-breaker.

The acreage of wheat was about an average until the floods came. Water ruined perhaps 10 per cent of the acreage, it is reported, but this slight damage will hardly be noticed if the present favorable conditions continue for 15 days.

"What can happen now to injure the wheat?" a prominent Sikeston farmer was asked.

"A heavy hail storm could do the most damage, or should the sun set in on an extra hot spell it would cook the grain. Too much rain would also be ruinous, but we are not expecting any of these things. If we can have two more weeks of average weather my opinion is that wheat will average around 30 bushels, and perhaps more. I never saw a finer stand in my life," he said.

A trip from Cape Girardeau to Sikeston Sunday was a revelation. The road passes through the finest agricultural section of Southeast Missouri.

Around Morley much of the corn is up and looking fine. It seems to be more advanced in the Morley neighborhood than around Sikeston or Benton. But the wheat on Sikeston ridge stands out above that in other sections.

Plowing for corn continues with greater activity. Thousands of acres will be planted this week, but the report is that due to the lateness the acreage will be below the average.

Usually most of the corn in Southeast Missouri is planted and up by the first of May, but the wet spring delayed the work. It will be perhaps the first of June before corn planting is finished, but that will not be too late for it to make a big crop.

Watermelons have been planted, and the acreage is reported about the same as last year.

Cowpeas are beginning to show up. The "Modern Promised Land" as the indomitable Clarence F. Bruton designates it, never gave greater promise than at present. Not only do farming prospects look bright in the Sikeston district, but equally as cheerful reports come from Mississippi, Stoddard, New Madrid, Dunklin and Pemiscot Counties.

"It will take only a good wheat crop and moderate corn and alfalfa crops to put us over the top and squarely on our feet again," a leading farmer told The Missourian. "We can 'come back' as quickly as we go down," he said, "and my prediction is that by this time next year we will have nearly forgotten the depression".—Cape Missourian.

Notice of Teachers' Examination

The regular teachers' examination will be held at Benton, Friday and Saturday, June 2nd and 3rd. Examination commences at 8:00 a. m.

M. E. MONTGOMERY,
County Supt. Schools.

An exchange from a nearby county, we believe it is the Caruthersville Democrat-Argus, has adopted the following schedule of prices to apply on all publicity that goes into its columns. Although a bit out of the ordinary, we believe every newspaper would be justified in following the same course. As revised the schedule is as follows: "For telling the public a citizen is a successful man when everybody knows that he is lazy as a government mule, \$2.70; referring to a deceased citizen as one who is mourned by the entire community, when he is only missed by the poker circle, \$10.13; referring to same gallivanting female as whom it is a pleasure to meet, when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, \$8.10; calling an ordinary pulpit pounder an eminent divine, 60 cents; sending a doughty sinner to heaven, \$.50."—Piedmont Journal.

AGRICULTURAL BUREAU WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

The Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau has just held its second annual election of directors. Two directors are elected from each county. These compose the Board of Directors which manage the affairs of the Bureau. One of the directors in each county is elected by the executive committee of the county Farm Bureau. The other director is elected by the sustaining members of the Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau.

The secretary of the Bureau has just completed an election by mail ballot of the directors representing the sustaining members. In Scott and Mississippi Counties, there has been a tie in the vote. In Scott County W. H. Sikes and E. C. Matthews received the same number of votes and were tied for election. The same thing was true in Mississippi County where W. B. Ragsdale and Joseph H. Moore were tied for election. In these two counties, ballots are again being sent to all of the members with the names of the two men only. It will be another week or ten days before the election in these two counties is definitely settled.

In the other counties, the sustaining members have elected the following directors: Cape Girardeau, Geo. A. Bell; New Madrid, M. F. Ehlers; Stoddard, Norman D. Blue; Butler, Dwight H. Brown; Pemiscot, S. P. Reynolds; Dunklin, R. Irl Jones.

The county Farm Bureaus have elected the following directors: Cape Girardeau, C. A. Vandivort; Scott, W. H. Heisserer; Mississippi, Thad Snow; New Madrid, X. Caverno; Stoddard, John A. Montgomery; Butler, G. I. Reeder; Pemiscot, Truman Cole.

Dunklin County Farm Bureau has not yet elected its director. T. J. Douglass, who has served as director in that county during the past year, will continue as director until the Farm Bureau elects.

NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE SALES

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Walter P. Perninor: All that portion of the NW 1/4 sec. 27, twp. 21, range 11 laying north of the public road known as the "Plank Road" or Pole Road, being north of the base line and east of the 5th P., containing 14.85 acres. \$1262.25.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to W. E. Forsythe: All of lot 3 in block 7, in town of Hartzell. \$45.

Wm. R. Price and wife of Decatur, Ill., to J. E. Freeman: NW 1/4 and the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 sec. 2, twp. 23, range 13, containing 243 acres. \$1.00.

Henry Wagle and wife of Peoria, Ill., to Wilson E. Bush of Watseka, Ill. The NE 1/4 of sec. 36, twp. 24, r. 14; the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec. 31, twp. 25, r. 15. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Estes and Bernadine Traunel: All of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 12 of H. Lbr. Co. 1st Add. to Tallapoosa. \$210.00.

E. C. Robinson Lbr. Co. to Julia A. Peck of Malden. All of lot 1 in range F of the City of Lilbourn. \$500.

W. R. Price and wife to Citizens National Bank of Decatur: NW 1/4 and the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 sec. 2, twp. 23, range 13. \$1.00.

Gottlieb P. Gerken and wife of Defiance, Ohio to W. A. Hull of Defiance, O. 112.53 acres of land in sec. 35, 36 twp. 22, range 11. \$1.00 and other property.

Himmelberger-Harrison Lbr. Co. to Jane A. Fisher of Cape County, Ind. Lots 5 and 6 in block 66 City of Morehouse. \$1233.44.

Marriage License

Jacob J. Oller to Lillian Neal of Canolou.

Ernest Little of Sikeston to Ada Malone of Lilbourn.

Edw. R. Johnson of Fairfax, Mo., to Kathryn Jewell, of Sikeston.

Lonnie Martin to Mary Neal of Canolou.

Vanau Lava, an island in the New Hebrides, is literally a mountain of sulphur 1,600 feet high and about a hundred miles square.

The Summer Term at the Chillicothe Business College begins June 5th. A special course for Commercial teachers is offered. Also short intensive courses in bookkeeping, banking, secretarial work and telegraphy. Many teachers and high school graduates will be among those entering.

PLANS OF HIGHWAY BOARD ANNOUNCED

Jefferson City, Mo., May 13.—B. H. Piepmeier, a loyal Republican, who has just been elected Chief Engineer of the State Highway Commission to succeed A. W. Graham, resigned, announces that the Commission's interpretation of the new highway laws and the scope of the duties of the Commission under them are as follows:

"The Commission will first designate and locate the higher type roads of approximately 1500 miles, connecting the principal population centers, and one-third of the road funds will be apportioned for the construction of higher type roads. In addition \$6,000 per mile will be apportioned for higher type roads out of the remaining two-thirds of the fund.

"The Commission will then determine the mileage of the statewide road system in each county, and will apportion to each county, a sum ascertained by multiplying the sum of \$6,000 by the total mileage in a county, but will deduct from such mileage any portion which is included in the designated route of the higher type roads. After estimating the amount required to build the roads in each county the estimate may be increased later, if more than \$6,000 per mile is necessary."

Bertrand, Mo.,

May 12, 1922.

Notice of deferred Annual Meeting of Members of the Southeast Missouri Melon Growers' Association.

Meeting will be held in Morehouse, at 10:00 a. m., May 26, 1922.

Object of meeting:

1. To elect two directors for the ensuing year.

2. To vote on amending the Constitution and by-laws as follows:

(a) To have seven directors instead of five.

(b) To make any other changes necessary to the general good of the Association.

3. General discussion.

By order of Board.
S. A. PRESSON, Pres.
R. R. SULLIVAN
Dr. PAUL BALDWIN

SKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

RECORDER OF DEEDS

We are authorized to announce
Axel Kjer, of Illinois, as candidate for
Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, on
the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary to be
held Tuesday, August 1.

COLLECTOR OF REVENUE

We are authorized to announce Emil
Steck, of Fomfelt, as candidate for
Collector of Revenue of Scott County,
on the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary to be
held Tuesday, August 1.

PROBATE JUDGE

We are authorized to announce Thos.
B. Dudley, of Benton, as candidate for
re-election for Probate Judge, of Scott
County, on the Democratic ticket, sub-
ject to the will of the voters at the
primary to be held Tuesday, August 1.

RECORDER OF DEEDS

We are authorized to announce Lee
J. Welman, of Benton, as candidate
for re-election for Recorder of Deeds,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary to be held Tuesday,
August 1.

CIRCUIT CLERK

We are authorized to announce H.
F. Kirkpatrick, of Benton, as candi-
date for re-election for Circuit Clerk,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the vot-
ers at the primary to be held Tuesday,
August 1.

Have you see the latest campaign
button? It consists of a green leaf
on which is printed "The G. O. P.
Newberry". Attached to the leaf is a
small, round berry, resembling ivory,
with a dollar mark stamped thereon.
It is to be used in the campaign
against all Newberry Republicans.

The Pilgrimage To S Street

The delegation of 1000 women from
many states and many countries who
recently wended their way to the
Washington home of Woodrow Wil-
son and roundly cheered the League
of Nations represented more than a
personal tribute to the Ex-President.
Mr. Wilson needs no tributes. His
place in the history of the world is
secure and all the plaudits of the
cheering multitudes cannot add to his
fame. The purpose of the pilgrimage
was far deeper than personal lauda-
tion of a leader, no matter how wor-
thy that leader may be. The purpose
was to show an observing world and
a nation at "the turning point" that
the ideals for international regenera-
tion once enunciated by Woodrow Wil-
son still stand as beacons pointing to
the right. America now accepts the
guidance of those beacons though a
wobbling national administration still
steers a crooked course regardless of
the signals. But this condition will
not last for long. A new helmsman
soon will control the ship and then
right will prevail.—Missouri State
Journal.

Miss Hyacinth Sheppard, who has
been the linotype operator on The
Standard for the past four years,
severs her connection with the office
this week and will resume a like po-
sition on the Poplar Bluff Daily
American Monday morning. The
Standard cheerfully recommends her
as a very splendid young woman and
a linotype operator of superior ability.

Tomorrow is Pig Club Day in Sik-
eston. Last summer the Chamber of
Commerce placed 20 Duroc gilts and
the same number of Poland Chinas
with boys in the Skeston District
with the understanding that two
gilts were to be returned to the
Chamber of Commerce when called
for. The time is here. These gilts
that are to be brought in will be
placed with other boys and in the
course of time they will be called
on to deliver two gilts. In this
way it is hoped to get boys interest-
ed in live stock to such a degree
that they will be better satisfied on
the farm and will be in position to
make a better living than digging in
the ground. A number of male hogs
will be auctioned off during the day,
and a number of cash premiums will
be paid to the Pig Club members by
the Chamber of Commerce. Parents
or guardians of these boys should see
that pigs are brought to town in the
best possible condition.

Mrs. Welsh's Musicales

The following program will be ren-
dered by the piano pupils of Mrs. H.
J. Welsh at the Methodist church audi-
torium next Tuesday evening at 8
o'clock. A silver offering will be tak-
en at the door, the Co-Workers receiv-
ing all above expenses. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

"Marching Children" Spaulding
Ruth Inez Felker, Burnice Farris,
Marie Marshall
"Playing Tag" Margstein
Tylene Kendall, Tessie Dill
"The Happy Gondolier" Lange
Marie Marshall, Kendall Sikes,
Conley Purcell
"Barcarolle" (from Tales of Hoff-
mann) Offenbach-Kern
Evelyn Smith
"Carillon" Ashford
Virginia Freeman, Fanny Becker
"Spanish Serenade" Jean Antiga
Nell Yanson, Ruby Purcell
"Melody in F" Rubenstein-Schott
Vivian Jackson
"Polish Dance" Scharenka
Susie Spence, Frances Rauch
"Galop" Op. 71 Wallenhaupt
Grace Decker, Louise Shields, Burdeen
Schroff
"In the Moonlight" Bendel
Lillian Shields
"Quartet" from Rigoletto Verdi
Frances Fisher, Martha Gould
"Marche Militant" Bryant
Mildred Kimes, Barbara Beck, Claribel
Pilaut
"Lucia di Lammermoor (Fantaisie)
..... Domzetti
Ruth, Mary, Frances Baker
"Mid-Summer's Night Dream"
..... Op. 76 Mendelssohn-Smith
Helen Welsh
"Polonaise Militaire
..... Op. 40 No. 1 Chopin
Bonnie Keith, Miriam Decker

A baby man-eating shark, hungry
and vicious, was found as a stowaway
in the bilge of a ship put in drydock
in New York for repairs.

There is no reason for The Stand-
ard to tell where it stands politically,
but there is a reason why it should
say that we do not think the office has
been properly treated by some of our
Democratic office holders. During the
past eight years not one penny of pa-
tronage has come to the office from
the Recorder's office, the Collector's
office, or the Probate Judge's office, all
filled by Democrats. The Standard
does not expect all of the work from
any of the officials but do believe that
some sort of division should be made
among the Democratic papers.

Are You Man or Monkey?

Mr. Editor:

The article copied from The St.
Louis Star, and which appeared in
the issue of The Skeston Herald of
Thursday, May 4th, and originating
from the pen of Rev. Mather of this
city, has annoyed me considerable and
I take exception, of course my excep-
tion with Mr. Mather places me in
about the same position that I think
Mr. Mather is when he takes exception
with Mr. Bryan.

If any of my brethren prefer to
think with Mr. Darwin that they are
descendants of the ape, that is their
privilege; or traveling through another
branch of evolution, if they prefer
to think that they evolved from the
jelly-fish, that is their privilege also;
but I cease brotherhood with them
and glory in the idea that I spring
from the family of man created by
God "in his own image" Gen. 1-27 "of
the dust of the ground and breathed
into his nostrils the breath of life,
and man became a living soul", Gen.
11-7.

God thought so much of that kind
of a body that He placed the Spirit
of His son in one, that He being the
God-man might be able to teach and
to preach, the course the family of
man was to pursue, during its transi-
tory earthly existence, to gain just
wards, according to God's law either,
everlastingly worship, or everlast-
ingly hell, as man may choose, and
there is no use in mincing matters
about it.

Further, did you ever stop to think
that God thought so much of that
particular body that He would
suffer it to "see corruption" Acts 11-
31, but "raised it up" Acts 11-32
to sit at His right hand. Acts 11-33,
"until I make thy foes thy foot stool",
Acts 11-35.

The jelly-fish still exists, so does the
ape, separate and distinct species, but
there is no record of either ever be-
ing raised up to Heaven; but evolution
is His foe.

Mr. Mather says, referring to Mr.
Bryan, "First he uses Darwinism and
evolution as synonymous terms".
"They cannot be used as such. I am
sorry that my encyclopaedia is in
error, for it classes Darwinism, de-
velopment, evolution, transformation
and transmutation, all as synonymous
Darwinism being only an attempt to
prove the process, and a sorry failure.

Mr. Bryan says that Mr. Darwin in
his works uses over eight hundred
times the phrase "We may well sup-
pose", which is a sorry comparison to
the Bible phrase "Thus saith the
Lord."

To my knowledge Mr. Bryan has
never attacked a worthy science. My
reference book open before me says
that "Science is knowledge regarding
any one department of mind or mat-
ter, co-ordinated, arranged and sys-
tematized"; and when Bryan, as hun-
dreds of others also finds, that that
department of mind commonly called
Darwinism evolution or whatever you
wish, is arranged and systematized
against Christianity by a flat denial
of the Bible origin of man, then if he
is a Christian he will fight it.

It must be remembered that there
is all the difference in the world be-
tween Christianity and religion. We
have many religious ideas: We have
much Churchianity in this simple old
world; but very little Christianity.

We know that the teaching of Evo-
lution, New Thought, Higher Critic-
ism, and Cult, was the basic cause of
the downfall of Germany. We know
statistically that that dope has been
introduced into our colleges and uni-
versities through our employment of
German professors until fifty per cent
of these are near pagan institutions,
we send children of Christian parent-
age away to these schools and eighty
per cent of them return without any
Christianity whatever and the result
is the low moral standard and the
crooked business condition of our
country today.

Just one instance. If the coal oper-
ators and the coal miners were all
Christians do you believe there would
be any strike? No. It is because of
the lack of Christianity, they are after
others gold, being worshippers of the
of Mammon and not followers of Jesus
Christ. "Neither is there salvation in
any other, for there is none other
name under Heaven, given among
men whereby we must be saved." Acts
IV-12 read Ch. X-43 Mat. 1-21, Rom.
III-24, 1st. Tim II-5.

Now we come to where Mr. Mat-
her's article is paragraphed under the
heading "Material Side of Problem".
I would ask does evolution treat of
anything else than Material prop-
erties? It is strictly of the Earth and
I am sorry to quote it but I must for
"His namesake". "He that is of the
earth is earthly, and speaketh of the
earth." John III-13; also III-36.

Mr. Mather immediately falls un-
der Darwin's "Now let us suppose—
for the sake of argument" and "sup-
poses" again in the fourteenth line. Is
it not awful that we must "suppose"
in order to argue, and that we endeavor
to refute the Word of God for the
sake of argument? God forbid.

Here he openly disputes the Bible
which he professes to teach when he
says: "When we read that God creat-
ed man in his own image, that fact
does not refer to his body because we
know that God has no material body,
for He is a Spirit."

We know that the Bible says, that
God said, at the Creation when ad-
dressing His son: "Let us make man
in our image, after our likeness".—
Gen. 1-26, and as he used the double
comparison to make it plain, we must
use the definition common to both
image, and likeness, which is, form,
appearance—and if the word image
means spirit, then I have always mis-
understood one of the commandments
as covered by the fourth verse of the
twentieth chapter of Exodus, "Thou
shalt not make unto thee any graven
images." (Spirits?) Here he reach-
es out to Eddyism in the creation of
a second man; and a little later on he
lauds man to high Heaven and like
the Russellite pats himself on the ex-
panded chest and exclaims behold the
perfect man; but Russell had the
mumps it developed at his divorce trial.

How ridiculous to attempt to prove
that Jesus Christ taught evolution?
Let us turn to Revelations if God has
no form and read the beginning of
the fourth chapter. There was a
form sat upon that Throne and turn-
ing to the fifth chapter we find that
that form had a right hand, and in
the fifth verse of this chapter we find
Jesus there in His form, for he had
ascended into Heaven in that form
and the only one permitted to take
the book from out of God's right
hand. Read Matt. V-18, and then read
Rev. 1-3.

Evolution is strictly a man made
earthly idea, or theory, which has
never been proven, but which is made
an idol of by some to their own con-
demnation.

The Missouri mule, poor mute wit-
ness, gives evolution one of the hard-
est kicks that it ever received. Man
conceived the idea of interbreeding the
horse species and the ass species and
the hybrid called mule was produced
outright here the laws of God and
nature step in and say no further in
this line of evolution. Man grafts the
branches of different apple trees and
produces a beautiful delicious apple in
the form of a hybrid but if a seed is
taken from one of these hybrids and
planted the product diverts back to
the natural and God says no evolution
in mine.

Let every true minister of the Gos-

pel remember the words of Paul as
recorded in 2nd Timothy 1-6, 13, 14.
He being then a prisoner under the
pagan emperor Nero at Rome, while
Timothy was the first Bishop at
Ephesus about the year 66.

I will now close by asking that all
read 1st. Cor. III-19 and quote from
Pope's Moral Essays IV-43 asking all
my readers to use,

"Good sense which only is the gift
of Heaven,
And though no science, fairly worth
the seven."

—John A. O'Hara.

Baptist Church

Sunday School each Sunday morn-
ing at 9:30.

There will be no preaching services
Sunday morning as the Pastor preach-
es the Baccalaureate sermon at Ber-
nie next Sunday morning at 11:00.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2 o'clock.
Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock.
Evening preaching service at 8:00 p.
m. by Pastor. Subject: "Losing Life
to Find It".

Prayer Meeting each Wednesday
evening at 7:30.
We welcome you.

The past ten days has been ideal
wheat weather. Not too hot nor too
cool, which gives the polen an oppor-
tunity to well set. Let's hope the
good Lord will temper the winds, the
sunshine and the rains in such a way
that a large yield will bless all those
who have wheat. Corn planting is
progressing rapidly and ten days
more will see the bulk of the acreage
planted.

Rub-My-Tism, a pain killer.

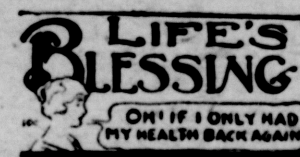
A decree restricting emigration of
Mexican laborers to the United States
has been signed by President Obregon.
A great number of Mexicans have
been thrown out of employment in
this country and have been repatriat-
ed at the Mexican government's ex-
pense.

A letter discountenancing admit-
tance of members of the Ku Klux
Klan into the Masonic order was or-
dered sent to all members of the or-
der in California and the Hawaiian Is-
lands by Dr. Samuel E. Burke, mas-
ter of the California grand lodge. The
letter asserts that the Klan tenets are
inimical to the tenets of true Amer-
icanism and Masonry, and therefore
have no place within the organization.

They are going to have a little ce-
lebration down at Cape Girardeau
August 1, when fitting ceremonies
will prevail to commemorate that 10
years ago Missouri's first regular
Farm Bureau with a "regulation"
county agent "happened". Chester
McWilliams, now an agent in Illinois,
was the first man on the job. Presi-
dent Howard is booked for the oc-
casion, and it appears that Cape coun-
ty will do it up right.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

is greatly relieved by constitutional treat-
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Deafness is caused by an inflamed con-
dition of the mucous lining of the Eusta-
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CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the
blood on the mucous surfaces of the sys-
tem, thus reducing the inflammation and
restoring Nature in restoring normal con-
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PIG CLUB DAY

SAT. MAY 20

3:00 P. M.

The Chamber of Commerce Will Give
Their Second Allotment of
Pigs to the Boys

This Allotment Will Consist
of Duroc and Poland
China Gilts

There Will also Be Some Choice Boars
For Sale That Were Raised by
the Pig Club Members

Sikeston Chamber of Commerce

Is there any better reason
why a visible gasoline
pump should not be
your filling station.
Our prices are the same.

BOOTLEGGING SHORT-
MEASURE GASOLINEEditorial in Monday's Globe-Demo-
crat.

New York has heretofore taken only
the conventional precautions to pre-
vent swindling by short measure in
what has become one of the most im-
portant and widespread forms of mer-
chandising in this country, the sale of
gasoline at filling stations. That is to
say, measurements were occasionally
subjected to official inspection and
sympathetic aid was given citizens
who took the trouble to complain on
the discovery of gallons too sparingly
doled, but on the whole no effective
precautions at all were taken. Even
Mr. Rockefeller himself, after a stop
at one of his own filling stations some
months ago, gave to the press a state-
ment about receiving from the attend-
ants less gasoline by a gallon or two
than he had paid for.

However, after a long inning for the
gasoline sellers, New York pur-
poses that the gasoline consumer shall have
an inning. An automobile fleet having
several novel features scattered from
Albany the other day to make long-
distance tours to every part of the
state. Each carried several sets of
automobile plates, so that a different
license number might be shown in dif-
ferent parts of the tour, a device for
baffling identification that would have
been highly suspicious under any other
auspices. The offices into which lub-
ricant and gasoline are to be poured
were seemingly no different from
those of the average car and still they
were somewhat different, as filling
station men have already begun to dis-
cover, to their pain and irritation. The
offices lead into dummy tanks or con-
tainers from which purchases can be
readily poured out and accurately
measured in a moment. The pumps
that measure as well as the liquids
measured will be subjected to rigid
examination.

New York is far from being the
only state in which swindling at the
pump has been daily practice, with
only perfunctory inspection. State-
wide crusades with elaborate wheeled
transport is expensive, unless, indeed,
these deceptive arrangements of tanks
might serve double purposes in com-
bating double-crossing bootleggers of
Volstead as well as petroleum distil-
lates. It would seem, however, that
within the compact, easily accessible
areas of cities, the municipal authori-
ties might do more to put down these
larcenies through full-price payments
for short-measure value received. The
subject becomes more important with
every boost in the filling station quo-
tation on gasoline.

Louis C. Erdmann
100 N. Kingshighway
Sikeston, Mo.

DEFEAT STUNS G. O. P. LEADERS

Philadelphia, Pa., May 17.—Gifford Pinchot, former State Forester, had increased his lead over Attorney General George E. Alter in the fight for the Republican nomination for Governor tonight to 4765 on unofficial returns. With only 619 districts out of a total of 7934 to be heard from, the vote was: Alter, 483,774; Pinchot, 488,539. Organization leaders who had backed Alter conceded Pinchot's nomination.

United States Senator Wharton Pepper, candidate for the unexpired term of the late Senator Penrose, was nominated over Congressman-at-large William J. Burke, unofficial returns from 6236 districts out of the 7934 giving him a majority of more than 211,000.

Washington, May 17.—The results of the Republican primary elections in Pennsylvania yesterday have made a profound impression in political Washington. No matter what the complete count may show the fact is foremost in the minds of politicians that the Republican organization in the Keystone State has had a decided setback which would still exist even if Alter, the organization candidate for the gubernatorial nomination, had defeated Pinchot, the candidate of the progressive, anti-machine contingent of the Republican party.

Standing alone, the Pinchot showing might not be markedly significant. But coming on top of the victory of Albert J. Beveridge over Senator Harry S. New, in the Indiana Republican senatorial primaries, it indicates a state of widespread dissatisfaction with the Old Guard element likely to have a material bearing upon Republican chances in the congressional elections this year when more than a third of the Senate and the entire membership of the House of Representatives will be elected.

Beveridge and Pinchot were firm friends and supporters of Theodore Roosevelt when he was President of the United States. They followed him into the Progressive party in 1912. They have been represented as embodying the Roosevelt ideas and ideals of Progressivism.

This, at least, is the reaction most observable in Washington political circles this evening. The Pinchot showing, however, is not as important in its direct national political bearing as the fact that five Republican members of the House of Representatives from Pennsylvania were defeated for renomination in yesterday's primaries. Their contests were complicated in most cases by local and personal issues, but in the opinion of unbiased observers here, there is no escaping the conviction that Pennsylvania appraisalment of the conduct of the Republican Congress contributed in some measure to their defeat. If what Washington hears of political trend is to be believed, President

Harding is popular with the people, but there is great dissatisfaction with the Republican Congress, which is known in some sections as "the do-nothing Congress."

Republican Senators of so-called Progressive tendencies were willing to be quoted as saying they were elated over the Pinchot victory reported before the Senate adjourned this evening and accepted as correct. They construed the Pinchot showing as proof that progressive sentiment had been revived in the country and that the Republican party would have to reckon with it.

In other words, their view is that the Republicans of the country are dissatisfied with conditions, and particularly dissatisfied with "organization" or machine rule within the party. None of these Republican Senators classed as progressives, said there was any rebuke to the Harding administration in the great party vote which Pinchot polled.

Senator Lenroot, who expressed himself as delighted when he heard that the victory had been conceded to Pinchot said it was not an administration rebuke. Senator Borah went further than any of his Republican associates in the Senate in his comment. None of his Republican comment had any reference to the defeat of Republican members of the House who were candidates for renomination in yesterday's primaries.

"The results in Pennsylvania indicate a political revolution," said Senator Borah. "Pinchot's victory is the most remarkable political revolution of the decade. It brings the most encouraging outlook for the future. I sincerely congratulate the people of Pennsylvania."

As was to be expected, the Democrats took the view that the showing made by Pinchot was a rebuke to the Republican administration in Washington. Senator Harrison of Mississippi made a speech about it in the Senate. He contended that what happened in Pennsylvania yesterday together with results in the recent congressional by-election in New York and in Republican congressional primaries in Indiana and Illinois showed that the Harding administration was in bad graces of the American people.

Senator George Wharton Pepper, who was nominated for Senator in the Pennsylvania Republican primaries over Congressman William J. Burke of Pittsburgh, was cautious in his comment. He expressed gratification over his own victory, but reserved comment on the Alter-Pinchot contest until the outcome was positively known. Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois, chairman of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee, which will be in charge of the campaign for the election of a Republican Senate, was likewise reluctant to point to any lesson in the Pennsylvania results. McCormick, like Beveridge and Pinchot, followed Roosevelt into the Progressive party.

"The Senatorial Committee like the National Committee," said Senator McCormick, "will energetically co-operate with the party leaders in Pennsylvania to assure the triumphant election of Reed, Pepper and Pinchot. I know of Reed that he has a fine record as a soldier and a citizen. Pepper will be one of the few truly great senators, a worthy successor to Knox. I do not have to say that I am delighted by the news of the nomination of my old friend and comrade, Gifford Pinchot."

Dissatisfaction over legislation by the Republican Legislature of Pennsylvania is believed here by those who know Pennsylvania politics to have helped Pinchot. This dissatisfaction was very widespread in rural districts, where for one thing the voters were aroused over a new system of appointing school teachers, who had heretofore been chosen by the districts which they taught, and the additional taxation resulting from an increase in the pay of teachers and other increased taxes. Pinchot charged the Republican state administration and the Republican Legislature with extravagance. He was strongly supported by the organized women of the state.

Here are some expressions from Republican Senators classed as Progressive:

Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, Republican: "I am delighted with the victory of Pinchot. You ask if I regard it as a rebuke to the administration. I do not so consider it. The women had a great deal to do with the result. If the reactionaries think the country has gone reactionary, they are mistaken."

Senator Capper, Kansas: "It is very encouraging to see Pennsylvania break away from the control of the machine crowd. Pinchot will make a great Governor and it is the best thing for Pennsylvania's political future that could have happened. Pinchot's victory indicates the people of Pennsylvania have again endorsed Progressive policies which once swept the state for Roosevelt."

Senator Norris of Nebraska: "Pinchot's victory shows that there is an overwhelming sentiment among the

SIXTY-ONE EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES

While the High School has had the center of the stage during the week, the public must not overlook the fact that the Grammar School has been doing wonderful work with the eight hundred children in the grades. Miss McCord and her patient assistants deserve medals of commendation for their work with these children.

Just think of there being sixty-one eighth grade pupils eligible for High School next year, and The Standard hopes that it will be so all of them can finish the course at High School.

Following is a list of the eighth grade graduates:

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Louise Stubblefield
Burdeen Schreff
Mildred Cummings
Forrest Carter
Dorothy Green
Jessie Vaughn
Lucille Milen
Dorothy Jones
Thelma Lennox
Ruth Gilbert
Eva Lydy
Delila Hunt
Beulah Swanner
Janice Bone
Edna Kirby
Genevieve Trousdale
Evelyn Smith
Geneva Cauthorn
Frances Tanner
Noma Wilkey
Justine Miller
Nelle Gilbert
Pansy Ables
Glenda Montgomery
Hazel Jennings
Letha Scott
Dorothy McCoy
Betty Gould
Kathryn Clark
Hazel Weekley
Hazel Purtle
Julia Carter
Pearl Hamby
Esther Oeslander
Jewell Mouser
Clara Randolph
Ruth Baker
Tyrene Kendall
Mary Allison Purcell
Wilma Lancaster
Rex Martin
Haskell Mouser
Hershel Tyre
Meredith Sellards
Ray Marshall
John Putnam
John O'Hara
Clarence Marshall
Vernon Skillman
Wayman Shankle
Roy Smith
Frank Cantrell
Jim Baker
Robert Hunter
Bill Smith
Clyde Bates
Linn Smith
David Blanton
Murray Quinn Tanner
Clinton Scott
Lyman Fox

people for Progressive ideals and Progressive policies."

Senator McNeary of Oregon, Republican: "Pinchot's victory indicates a stronger sentiment than ever prevailed in this country for Progressive policies."

Alaska's Resources.
A special report on Alaska issued by the Interdepartmental Alaska Board gives reason to believe that what will happen to this great territory is very much the same as what happened to California after the gold fever had subsided and men began to make California prosper in less spectacular ways than by digging for gold. Even the hard-headed and practical-minded citizen will gather from this report that here is a vast empire immensely fertile and stocked with resources beyond the dreams of old King Midas. What efforts have up to this time been put into development of this great wealth have been largely incidental to the digging for gold, and they have scarcely served to show us the extent of our Alaskan treasures. This latest survey puts Alaska on the map. We learn from it that in climate and in the characteristics of its soil this territory is much like Norway, Sweden and Southern Finland, where there are more millionaires farmers than in any other country in the world. By nothing more than the application of ordinary methods of agriculture, it is estimated, "Alaska alone could produce food enough for one-fifth of all the population of the United States. Of natural resources Alaska has an abundance. The standing timber in the Tongass and Chugach forest reserves amount to 77,000,000,000 board feet, enough to produce annually and for all time 2,000,000 tons of wood pulp and great quantities of lumber. Coal and oil and iron and copper are to be found there, and, of course, gold is today the chief mining industry of Alaska.—Detroit News.

MRS. ANDERSON'S PUPILS IN RECITAL TUESDAY NIGHT

The piano pupils of Mrs. Ralph Anderson gave a recital at the home of Mrs. J. H. Kready on Tuesday evening. The program was well rendered and enjoyed by all present.

The following program was given: Dorothy (Old English Dance), by Smith, and In an Alabama Cabin, by Charles Wakefield Cadman—Dorothy Jones.

Primrose Polka and The Robin's Lullaby, both by Krogmann—Billie Tanner.

Swinging and Singing, by Frances Terry, and Forest Brook, by Carl Ganschals—Virginia Hudson.

Song of the Plowman, by Bachmann, and Trot de Cavalerie, by Rubinstein—Elizabeth Stalleup.

Reading—Laura Joe Smith.
Shadow-Time Valse, by Richard Ferber; Humoresque, by Dvorak, and The Old Pioneer, by Archie Mumma—Vernon Skillman.

To Spring, by Grieg—Anita Winchester.

Songs with Accompaniment—Virginia Hudson.

To an Indian Village, by Thurlow Lawrence—Dorothy Lillard.

Walzer, by Nicolai V. Wilm, (two pianos)—Dorothy Lillard and Anita Winchester.

Ohio Hammock seat cultivators still going at \$42.50.—Farmers Supply Co., New Bldg.

Shower For Miss Margaret Shanks

On Wednesday afternoon a miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Margaret Shanks, who will become the bride of Dr. W. A. Anthony in the near future. The shower was given at the home of Mrs. Loomis Mayfield on North Kingshighway. The home was beautifully decorated and many beautiful gifts were received by the charming bride-to-be. Following is a list of the gifts and their donors:

Embroidered scarf, Mrs. E. A. Matthews, fruit bowl and candle stick, Mrs. L. M. Stalleup; dinner bell, Mrs. Moore Greer; silver vase, Miss Margaret Harris, Miss Irma Wilson and Mrs. Girard Dover; compote, Miss Gretchen Dunaway; meat fork, Miss Vera Walpole; gravy ladle, Mrs. Barney Forrester; olive spoon, Miss Eva Carter; teaspoons, Mrs. Charles Lindley, Miss Leita Lindley, Mrs. Pauline Cook; boudoir lamp, Mrs. Paul Bowman; mustard jar Miss Isabel Hess; pan greaser, Mrs. Clay Stubbs; embroidered buffet set and embroidered bath towel, Mrs. C. A. Anthony; electric toaster, Mrs. H. E. Dudley, Miss Helen Thomas, Miss Vera Cunningham; crochet pillow cases, Mrs. J. E. Johnson; cut glass nappie, Mrs. J. H. Yount; wall mop, Mrs. A. A. Mayfield and Mrs. Murray Klein; waste paper basket, Miss Camille Klein; cut glass dish, Miss Florence Baker, Mrs. Lacy Allard, Mrs. Si Harper; embroidered buffet set, Mrs. Otis Brown; embroidered scarf, Mrs. Earl Riga; School.

CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION MONDAY

The City Council was in session Monday night with Mayor Felker in the chair and all Board members present.

Charles Dover, of the Citizens Bank presented presented bond and it was accepted for the City Treasurer.

The Street Commissioner's bond was accepted.

The Water Works Committee were instructed to find the cost of laying water main on Kathleen Avenue and report to the Board.

Bill No. 934 known as Matthews' second addition to Sikeston was accepted.

Chas. McMullin resigned as road commissioner in this district and his resignation was accepted.

I. R. Kelso, attorney for the Missouri Public Utilities Co., met with the Board and a Committee of two from the Board and one from the Chamber of Commerce were appointed to employ experts to advise on the franchise proposed by Mr. Kelso.

Messrs. Black and Russell of the Council and J. W. Black, President of the Chamber of Commerce, will appoint a member to the Committee who will act.

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The following teachers have been elected to fill the vacancy in our schools for next year: Miss Emma Brushner, of Cape Girardeau, in the grade schools, Miss Violet Benson, of De Soto, music; Miss Margaret Harris, of Sikeston, history in the High School.

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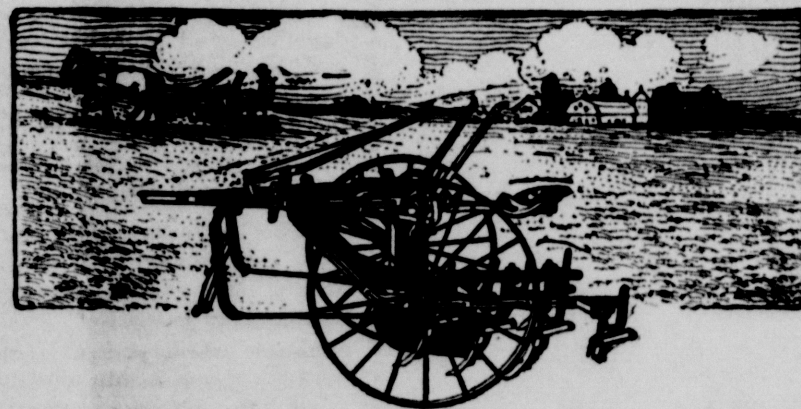
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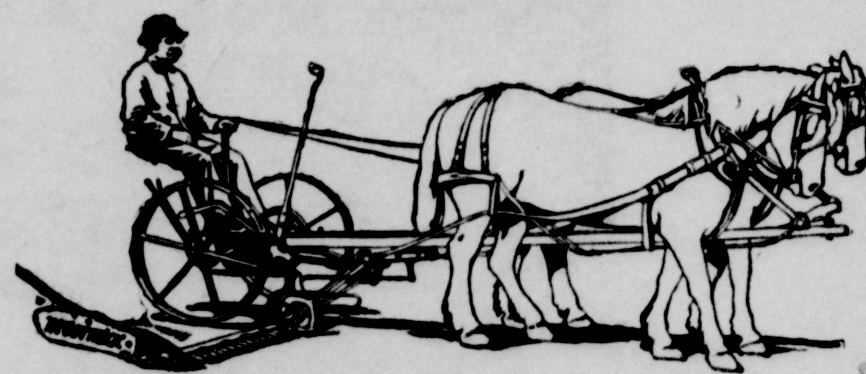
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SATURDAY, MAY 26

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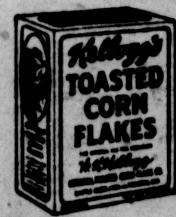
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Mrs. Clay Mitchell spent Sunday with her parents in Chaffee.

C. M. Smith, Sr., was a business visitor in New Madrid Monday.

J. F. Cox, of Sikeston, attended County Court at New Madrid Tuesday.

T. A. Slack of Sikeston was transacting business in New Madrid Wednesday.

Attorney W. L. Patterson of Sikeston was a business visitor in our city, Saturday.

Attorney H. C. Blanton of Sikeston attended Circuit Court in New Madrid Tuesday.

P. S. Meadors of Morehouse is in New Madrid this week assisting with Circuit Court.

Mrs. Lucy Pharris and daughter, Miss Coretta visited relatives in Lilbourn Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Neill of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ambrose Kerr and Miss Pearl White motored to Sikeston and spent several hours, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. June St. Mary and Mrs. J. W. Newsom spent Wednesday and Thursday in Cairo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Riley, Davis B. Riley and Mrs. Fannie Fine were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reeves of Memphis, Tenn., were week-end visitors at the E. E. Reeves home.

Rev. Foreman of St. Louis, a worker in the Anti-Saloon cause, preached at the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Stephen A. Douglas of Chester, Ill., was in New Madrid Thursday looking after interest in the monument business.

E. A. Wright, editor of the South-east Missourian, Portageville, was in New Madrid Monday, looking after business.

Miss Hattie A. La Forge left Saturday for Cairo to reside, having rented her home on Scott Street to A. B. Hunter, Jr.

Mrs. Mitchell Meate, Mrs. S. L. LaFont and Mrs. Easterly of Portageville spent Monday in New Madrid with friends.

City Marshall, Chas. E. Bailey and M. V. Mumma of Gideon attended Circuit Court at New Madrid Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd DeLisle and little son of Portageville attended the May Fair given by the Catholic ladies Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stacy, Mrs. Ruskin Cook and Miss Vera Walpole of Sikeston visited friends in New Madrid several hours, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Peck and daughters, Misses Laura, Virginia and Nellie Peck motored to Cape Girardeau and spent several hours Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Hensley left Thursday for Columbia, where they will make their home. Mrs. Hensley's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mathewson, accompanied them as far as St. Louis.

The graduating exercise of the New Madrid High School will be held at the Methodist church Friday evening, May 19th. Hon. Robert L. Ward, of Caruthersville, will be present and address them.

The play, "Ruth in a Rush", given by the Senior Class of the High School at the Dixie Theatre Monday evening, was a decided success, after which the class enjoyed a "bunking party" given in their honor by Miss Susie Shelby.

Miss Hilma Royer entertained the Seniors of the High School, Misses La Rue Townsend, Fannie Pharris, Frances Richards, Gladys Harris and Willa Richardson with a six o'clock dinner Tuesday and a line party at the Dixie Theatre.

Rev. M. L. Eaves stopped over in New Madrid for a few days returning from Eminence, Mo., where he preached the Baccalaureate sermon for the High School. Rev. Eaves is stationed at Ripley, Miss., and will move his family there June 1st.

Mrs. W. S. Korn and Miss Ada Latham returned Monday from a month's visit. Mrs. Korn visiting her husband W. S. Korn in Paragould Ark., and sister, Mrs. Alexander in Pine Bluff. Miss Latham visiting friends in St. Louis and Belleville, Ill.

Attorneys R. E. Bailey and M. G. Gresham and Harry C. Blanton, all of Sikeston, Baker & Hale, of Morehouse; I. L. Parrett of Lilbourn; E. F. Sharp and R. L. Ward of Caruthersville and Hon. Geo. H. Moore of St. Louis, attended Circuit Court in New Madrid Monday.

The Catholic ladies held their annual May Fair at the Court House Wednesday and served an elaborate dinner to a large crowd, realizing about \$307. There were several out-of-town attendants, Mrs. Bettie Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Slack of Sikeston,

Mrs. Sara Wathen of Lilbourn, and Mrs. Jesse Broughton of Marston.

Drs. Jos. A. Serena, President of the Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau, delivered an eloquent sermon at the Commencement exercises of the New Madrid High School held at the M. E. Church Sunday morning. His talk was on the beauties of life and full of inspiration taking as his text the words of Jesus "I have come into the world to give you life, and to give it abundantly". A special musical program was rendered, which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the vast audience.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

State vs. Wm. Killian, murder, change of venue to Pemiscot County.

State vs. Louie Hacker, murder, continued to September term.

State vs. A. Haynes, Geo. Haynes & Tol Haynes, assault to kill, Ab Haynes \$35.00; Geo. Haynes, \$15.00, Tol Haynes, not guilty.

State vs. Louie Hacker, violating prohibition law, continued next term.

State vs. John Crabb, carrying concealed weapons, fined \$100 and costs. Stay of execution for 30 days.

State vs. Walter Wiloughby, taking away female under age of 18 years, verdict guilty. 2 years in pen.

State vs. Joe Nelson, violating prohibition law, continued.

State vs. Daniel McClure, violating prohibition law, continued at cost of defendant.

State vs. Robert Ingram, John Bloodworth, Lemuel Ingram, Richard Shettler, violating prohibition law, Lemuel Ingram enter plea of guilty and filed \$100 and costs State dis. as to other defendants.

State vs. Louis McBride, violating prohibition law, fined \$100 and costs.

State vs. Porter French, violating prohibition law, fined \$100 and costs.

State vs. Harry Fleetwood, assault to kill, fined \$5.00 and costs.

State vs. Ollie Marr, arson, continued.

State vs. Guy Kinsey, grand larceny, two years in pen.

State vs. Harry Robinson, motion for judgment of forfeiture, cost ordered paid by deft., bond in sum of \$500 taken in open court and cause ordered certified by to Justice next Saturday for preliminary hearing.

State vs. Alvin Brown and William Brown, burglary and larceny, 2 years in Missouri Reformatory at Boonville.

Wet Weather Forecast?

The wets so far identified themselves with the candidacy of the Democratic candidate, Judge Irvine, in the congressional election in the Thirty-seventh (New York) district, Tuesday, that the big drop in the Republican plurality looks like a decided reaction against prohibition. It will inevitably encourage the wet propaganda for the modification of the Volstead act. By parity of reasoning, however, the election showed a drift of sentiment against the soldiers' bonus, for Judge Irvine was strongly against the adjusted compensation bill. As for other issues, not much was said about them on either side. It was a rainy day and the rural population stayed at home very largely, leaving the cities and towns to elect the new Congressman. With women voting, only about half the total vote of 1920 was cast. Whatever the primary cause of the Republican slump from pluralities ranging from 20,000 to 30,000 in the past four years down to 3,000, the result is to hearten anti-prohibitionists as well as Democrats and incidentally place Judge Irvine on the political map. Already he is considered available for the governorship as the cock-tail candidate. It would be folly for the supporters of prohibition to ignore the significance of this New York bye-election. It means that the issue will assume importance in future elections. The wets will beat down the Volstead act and finally the Eighteenth Amendment if they can.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Fraternal beneficiary societies obtain more than 1,000,000 members annually, according to the secretary of the National Fraternal Congress of America, which has a membership of nearly 10,000,000 persons, and embraces 93 organizations.

Penrhyn Ceduraeth, Wales, pays no taxes. A movie promoter rents the town hall on shares and when the balance sheet was presented recently it was discovered that the municipal movie had done away with the necessity for levying any taxes for the coming year.

The people of the United States will present to Brazil a statue of liberty on the one hundredth anniversary of the Republic of Brazil. The statue is of bronze. Liberty, holding a branch of laurel in her right hand, with her left, supports the flags of the United States and Brazil intertwined with laurel and palm. At the base are figures of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, representing America, and Rio Branco and Jose Bonifacio, representing Brazil.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS FROM MATTHEWS

Mrs. Levi Prouty shopped in Sikeston Friday.

John Rauh went to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Royal Allsup went to Hough Saturday on business.

Leon Swartz has purchased a new Ford touring car.

G. F. Deane went to New Madrid Saturday on business.

Mrs. Cora Burch went to Catron Thursday to visit relatives.

M. A. Arterburn of Sikeston was in Matthews Friday, on business.

Mrs. C. B. Richards and son of New Madrid were Matthews visitors, Sunday.

George Hendershott of Big Opening visited relatives in Matthews Saturday.

Rev. S. S. Surface filled his regular appointment at Perkins, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Tate of Lilbourn visited friends in Matthews Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Emory and two children motored to East Prairie Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swartz motored to Sikeston, Sunday to attend the Baccalaureate sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Randolph and babe of Pharris Ridge were guests of Mrs. Nannie Lee Sunday.

Miss Vera Roberts of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. N. Roberts.

Mrs. Cordie McAdoo spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon in East Prairie, visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swartz and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carrol Sunday.

Mrs. Woodard of Hough spent the week-end with her father and brother, J. A. Allsup and Royal Allsup.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Steele and small daughter of New Madrid were guests of Mrs. Mary Steele, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norval and little grandson Johnnie, of Sikeston visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunott Saturday and Sunday.

The Matthews boys went to McMullin Sunday to play their first ball team. The score was 13-12 in favor of McMullin.

Miss Edith Pharris of New Madrid and Miss Flo King were the guests of Mrs. R. H. Weaks of Canalou from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Steele and two sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane, motored to McMullin to attend the ball game Sunday afternoon.

The people of this place certainly appreciate the services so courteously and kindly rendered towards them by the Deputy Health Commissioner, Dr. Wm. N. O'Bannon. During the smallpox epidemic, his efforts have been untiring since he was appraised of the disease being here while he wasn't compelled to do so by the position he holds. Dr. O'Bannon has made a visit every other day to the families having the smallpox. He has vaccinated between 50 and 75 people around here and we are glad to say due to his untiring efforts, this disease has about died out.

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The survey revealed the fact that many farmers in all parts of Lawrence County are growing a variety of corn called St. Charles Yellow. True to type, especially adapted to the soil and climate of this section, and extremely adapted to the soil and extremely satisfactory from the growers' standpoint, all these Lawrence County cubs of St. Charles Yellow gave evidence of having originated from the same parent stock of seed.

By careful inquiry the class learned that Floyd D. Bacon, a Lawrence County farmer now deceased, had brought 100 grains of St. Charles Yellow home with him from the Missouri College of Agriculture in 1914, where he had attended the two-year winter Short Course. Among the lessons learned at College none had impressed young Bacon more than the value of special adaption of field crop varieties to particular soils and climates. From his original 100 grains of corn Bacon grew seed for larger plantings on his own and neighboring farms—always urging the importance of keeping the seed pure and the selection true to type. Although Bacon died in 1917, the benefits of his special training have survived him

and have spread to all parts of his county.

PASSENGERS SEE BATTLE OF SHARKS AND PORPOISES

New York, May 17.—Thrilling stories of a deep sea battle between a school of nearly 100 porpoises and a half dozen sharks were brought in today by passengers on the Scandinavian-American liner Frederick VII.

Passengers who crowded the rail to witness the struggle said they saw at least forty of the porpoises slain before the steamer drew away from the brimy battle ground.

One woman, sympathizing with the porpoises, urged the captain to stop and send out a boatload of sailors to kill the horrid old sharks, but the captain insisted on maintaining strict neutrality.

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